WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising over Northern British Columbia, and fair, colder weather is spreading southward on the Pacific Slope. Colder weather will also become general in the Prairies.

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Snow Motors Start Crawl Across Alaska

Advance Guard of Wilkins' Expedition Leaves Nenana on Long Trip to Coast of Arctic

Town Turns Out To See Departure

Planes Arrive at Seattle From East—Flyers Gathering on Sound Awaiting Northern Steamer

NENANA, Alaska, Feb. 11.—Under ideal weather conditions, with a temperature of ten below zero, the Wilkins transpolar expedition supply party started out on the first lap of the long mush to Point Barrow late today.

Taking advantage of the ice trail, the party will follow the Tanana River for about thirty-five miles and then turn the revolving drums of their snow motors to the overland snow trail across the Endicott Mountains. The sledges were loaded to capacity with fifteen tons of supplies, and the train got under way slowly, with the entire population of the region out to see the start.

By PALMER HUTCHINSON
Special Correspondent of the North American Newspaper Alliance with the Detroit Arctic Expedition

SEATTLE, Feb. 11.—The Fokker airplanes which Captain George H. Wilkins will use on his Polar flight were today being unloaded from the chain of freight cars on which, they crossed the continent from Hasbrook, N.J., for transfer to the steamer which will carry them to Alaska. The huge wings, wrapped in thousands of yards of quilted felt, completed their transcontinental journey without mishap in thirteen days, escorted all the way by Sergeant C. M. Wiseley, chief airplane mechanic to the expedition.

Captain Wilkins arrived yesterday with Major Thomas G. Lanphier, the U.S. army's unofficial observer with the exhibition. Other personnel awaiting them included Ray Howard, Fokker engineer, and Andrew Hufferd, Wright engine mechanic. All will sail for Alaska on Saturday.

Carl B. Eielson, the expedition's chief flyer, is already on his way to Fairbanks where he will prepare the temporary hangars for the airplane.

B.C.-Tie Order Annoys British Timber Industry

Big Proportion of Contract Could Have Been Filled in Britain, Lumber Association Claims

LONDON, Feb. 11.—A protest against the recent placing of an order for 24,000,000 feet of Douglas fir railroad ties in British Columbia by one of the big British railway groups, appears in The Financial News over the signature of Hedley Miller, secretary of the Home Grown Timber Association.

Miller says that a fair proportion of the requirements of the railways in question could have been supplied by home British industry which has been severely hit in recent years by the trade depression.

Protests against the placing of the contract have appeared in various forms in some of the trade journals here. One correspondent alleges that the timber contract referred to was for only 10,000,000 feet of railroad ties, not 24,000,000, as announced, and suggests that the timber contracted for is not all Douglas fir, but a proportion of Baltic pine.

New Ocean Liner Will Settle World's Biggest Ship Dispute

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Belfast reports say that the White Star Company is placing an order with Harland & Wolff, shipbuilders, for the construction of a passenger liner which is expected to settle the long-standing controversy as to what ship is the world's largest.

A dispatch to The Star says the new liner will have a gross tonnage of nearly 60,000 tons. The new vessel will resemble the Majestic.

It will involve an expenditure of several million pounds.

Women's Admission to Synod Both Favored and Opposed by Members

Question Lengthily Debated at Yesterday's Session—This Subject, Together With Resolution for Health Certificates Before Marriage, Postponed for Year

THE question of the admission of women as members of the Synod of the Diocese of British Columbia has once more been postponed. Appearing on the agenda paper for the annual meeting which has been in progress this week, it was the last matter brought up at the afternoon session yesterday, and the arguments of two completely opposed points of view prolonged the meeting until after six o'clock. Finally, when it appeared that still further thought must be given the proposal, the Synod, on motion of Rev. Robt. Connell, seconded by Very Rev. Dean Quainton, decided that the matter be laid over for another year, to be again considered by the Synod after further thought by the Canons committee.

This was the second lengthily-discussed matter brought before the afternoon session, the other having to do with the matter of urging that intending partners before marriage should have to show health certificates. This matter is also referred to a special committee, which will report at the next meeting of the Synod.

Health Certificates

Rev. H. T. Archbold introduced the latter resolution, which in its original form read as follows:

"In view of the problem of mental deficiency, and further, in view of the association of diseases, especially the "social diseases," and marriage; therefore, be it resolved, (1) that in the opinion of this Synod, legislation should be passed requiring a health certificate from intending partners before marriage; (2) that copies of this resolution be sent to the Medical Association with a request for their support and co-operation, and to the Provincial Board of Health, as a step in preventive measures."

Mr. Archbold, in introducing the resolution, argued the necessity of such measures because of the increase in mental and physical defectives. The question was a serious one which the church must consider: Should the mental and physical condition of contracting couples be considered by the church as a bar to marriage?

While maintaining that the health certificate should be a necessity, he also maintained that the individual clergy should not have to ask whether the contracting partners were fit to marry. He, therefore, coupled with his resolution a suggestion that the State should require the health certificate.

Dr. Price, City Medical Health Officer, favored the principle of the resolution, but thought it should be more carefully considered and from a

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Son Balks at Trying Hand at Ironing King's Shirt

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The Duke of York proved his courage in the hunting fields of Africa, but today he backed away when urged to try his hand at ironing one of his father's shirts.

The King's second son was on a tour of inspection through the laundry which handles the linens of the Royal Family, when the invitation came.

Smilingly declining, he said: "I might burn one of His Majesty's shirts and get into trouble over it."

Lumbermen Plan For Spring Work

Sawmill Activity Joins With Logging Movement in Forecasting Busy Season

Lumbering activities are noticeable in all parts of the island, as the early season has encouraged sawmill construction, building of logging lines and resumption of operations in the bush.

At Eaglewood, in Broughton Strait, on the northern coast of the island, and at Great Central Lake, near Alberni, cutting operations have recently started at large mills. Several smaller mills are under construction ready to produce this season. It looks as if the ravages of fire last Summer, which cost the loss of several plants, will be repaired by the advent of the dry season, and that the output per day of Vancouver Island mills will more than justify the expectation of lumbermen that the island is at last taking its place as a manufacturing as well as a logging centre.

While negotiations for additional shingle mills are in progress, a report comes from Courtenay that a shingle mill is to be built at the Dyke on the site of a mill which operated in that locality until burned down in 1912. It is to have a capacity of 100,000 shingles per twenty-four hours. The operator, Mr. S. McLeod, formerly operated a shingle mill at Black Creek, north of that city.

Great interest is being shown by lumbermen in the order for railway ties which has been placed by a leading British railway, in which British timbermen will have a chance at a class of trade which has hitherto gone elsewhere. The tie and pole business has become of increasing importance on the Island.

Logging activity at Cowichan Lake shows a considerable improvement, both on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo and Canadian National Railways. Four logging firms are shipping to Crofton. It is understood that the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company will ship logs next month from the Robertson River.

Coal Bootleggers Mobbed By Striking U.S. Miners

SCRANTON, Pa., Feb. 11.—Two men received knife wounds and two others were badly beaten in a clash between several hundred men and coal bootleggers at Carbondale. The clash occurred when a party of miners met several men hauling bootleg coal from a dump. Two of the men engaged in a fight and both were wounded about the arms and shoulders.

Snow Blanket Halts Eastern Motor Travel

Old Dobbin Comes Into Own Again — Horses Brought Out to Break Trails for Automobiles

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—People of the Northeastern United States, accustomed to motor travel, tonight heard the old-fashioned jingle of sleigh bells as Dobbin was called forth to break trails where motors would not go. Twenty-four hours after the passing of the second severe snowstorm within a week, most highways were impassable to motors and all but the principal streets in cities and towns were likewise blocked. The two storms left a snow blanket two feet deep on the level ground, and many frozen drifts six to twelve feet deep.

The death list as a result of the last storm stood today at seventeen, and the number of accidents was many times greater. The property damage had not been estimated, but the cost of clearing streets and roads already had run into millions of dollars.

Along Fifth Avenue, the mecca for expensive motor cars, traffic drew aside today as four sleighs, loaded with girls from a Broadway musical show, hobbed along to the melody of sleigh bells.

Dobbin, however, was missing from the scene, as the sleighs were drawn by a motor car in which was stationed a motion picture camera. But the procession of waving tam o' shanters and gauntleted arms attracted more attention than would horse-drawn sleighs.

In smaller cities and country districts, horse-drawn sleighs had temporarily displaced automobiles and trucks as possessors of the roads.

Tyrol Dispute Over Thinks Italian Press

Nothing More to Be Said in Controversy With Germany, Newspapers Agree

ROME, Feb. 11.—The controversy between Italy and Germany over the German-speaking minority in the South Tyrol is closed as far as Italy is concerned, in the opinion of the Roman press, including opposition journals as well as those supporting the Government.

La Tribuna, which is Fascist, says: "There is no further room for sophistry and mystification. The question is closed. Any further discussion will be merely verbal exercises, to which we will not lend ourselves."

"It is absurd to endanger the relations of the two countries on the basis of such impalpable and untrustworthy elements," says The Giornale d' Italia. "Italy has spoken. There is not a single word to be added."

Even The Voce Republicana, which is anti-Fascist, joins this chorus, but utters a caution against an imitation by Italy of the "Germanic spirit of imperialism."

New York Banks Merge

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The merger of the Chase National Bank and the Mechanics & Metals National Bank with combined resources of $1,000,000,000, was announced tonight by Albert H. Wiggin, president of the Chase National Bank.

Presides Over Probe Into Customs Service



MR. PAUL MERCIER

Liberal member for St. Henri, Montreal, who is chairman of the House committee now investigating at Ottawa Hon. H. H. Stevens' charges of maladministration of the Customs Department.

Counsel Clash Over Victoria Nash Contract

Tomato Grower Takes Stand at Fruit Trial—Identifies Agreement Under Which Output Was Sold

Defence Attacks Crown Procedure

Prosecutor Trying to Slip Something In, Defendants' Representative Charges—Keremeos Witness Grilled

VANCOUVER, Feb. 11.—Frequent clashes between E. P. Davis, K.C., leading defence counsel, and Crown Prosecutor J. C. McIver, over the latter's attempt to prove by N. B. Pollock, Victoria hothouse tomato grower, a document which the crown contended was an agreement between Mutual Vancouver, Limited, and Victoria Hothouse Association, occurred this afternoon in assize court during the trial of fifty-three defendants on conspiracy charges.

Mr. McIver produced to witness the document, dated November 14, 1923, which allegedly had been signed by the growers who comprised the executive committee of the Victoria Hothouse Association.

"My learned friend undertook to call these growers as witnesses," interpolated Mr. Davis.

"I will call what witnesses I like and the defendants can call what witnesses they like," replied Mr. McRuer.

"That is the usual way," commented Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald.

"We want him to call the growers and he does not want to," explained Mr. Davis.

Victoria Contract

Pollock testified that the Victoria growers met Messrs. J. W. Dilworth, G. H. Snow and W. Colquhoun, of the Nash organization, and discussed the marketing of tomatoes on the Prairies.

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Man Given 5 Years For Robbing Widow

Solicitor's Clerk Convicted of Defrauding Woman of $10,938—Court Severe to Accused

EDMONTON, Feb. 11—Dugald Campbell, solicitor's clerk, was sentenced to five years in prison at Prince Albert in the supreme court today for theft of $10,938, given him by a widow to purchase mortgages at ten per cent.

"Any man who can take the last dollar from a woman, giving her no security, is entitled to no consideration," declared His Lordship in passing sentence.

Malines Conversations Likely to Be Resumed

BRUSSELS, Feb. 11. — It was learned today on good authority that the Malines conversations looking towards a reunion of the Catholic and Anglican Churches, one of the most cherished projects of the late Cardinal Mercier, which were interrupted by his death, will be resumed within two weeks.

The participants will include Monsignor Van Roey, Vicar-General of Malines, and Lord Halifax, president of the English Church.

Play Dealing With Easter Revolt Creates Riot in Dublin Theatre

DUBLIN, Feb. 11.—Political feeling led to a small riot in the Abbey Theatre this evening during a performance of Sean O'Casey's new play, "The Plough and the Stars," which deals with the rebellion of Easter week, 1916. A large section of the audience objected to what was regarded as defamation of the insurgents and hooted and hissed, stopping the performance.

Mrs. F. Sheehy Skeffington, whose husband was killed in the Easter rising, made a speech denouncing the play and there were shouts for "O'Casey the coward" to show himself. The turmoil increased and a few objectors forced their way to the stage, where some fighting took place.

Seantor Yeats, the poet, tried to calm the tumult but the audience refused to listen. The police were then called in. They ejected some of the rioters and the play was resumed, with constant interruptions to the end. Much damage was done to the theatre fittings.

Customs Exposure Feared Ottawa Inquiry Indicates

Deputy Minister Grilled—Official Admits Chief Inspector Barred From Montreal District by Former Minister of Customs—Hears of Bribery Offer

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—R. R. Farrow, Deputy Minister of Customs, at the Customs probe today was a hesitating, if not unwilling witness, attributing his lack of frankness to a failing memory. From his evidence it could be deduced there was little activity in the Customs preventive force to prevent smuggling, but an effective preventive force to prevent exposures.

Mr. Farrow expressed his unwillingness to produce files and documents considered essential by the Conservative members to deal with specific charges, claiming the work entailed would be enormous.

This brought from Hon. R. B. Bennett a stinging rebuke and declaration: "I am going to get at the bottom of this thing if it takes the rest of my life. We may as well understand that at once."

Then Mr. Farrow agreed to produce the files and documents demanded.

Montreal Closed to Inspector

There were two outstanding features in Mr. Farrow's evidence: (1), that the Chief Inspector of Customs, Edward Busby, had not been allowed to investigate the Montreal office, and this on orders from Hon. Jacques Bureau, then Minister of Customs; (2), that Mr. Farrow remembered having been told by Mr. Clerk, an Inspector of Customs at Montreal, that he had been offered a bribe. When asked if this was not an offer of a bribe from J. E. Bisaillon, named in the charges, of $100 a week to be appointed an inspector of Customs, he replied, "my memory is not as good as it was."

With the withdrawal of the Royal Mounted Police from the Quebec international boundary, and with the Minister of Custom's order that Chief Inspector Busby must not investigate the Montreal office, it has been realized that coast has been cleared for the contrabandists from Montreal to the United States with liquor and return cargoes of silks and other fabrics. Refusal to allow Busby to perform his duties at Montreal was unequivocal admission there was something that had to be concealed.

Among the officers and men of the Royal Mounted Police there is much

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Edison Reaches 79; Maintains, However, He's Only 10 Really

FORT MYERS, Fla., Feb. 11. —Thomas A. Edison celebrated his seventy-ninth birthday today, but told newspaper men who bombarded him with a multitude of questions that he was really about ten years old.

"I've been working two shifts most of my life," he explained. "Lots of other men work two shifts, too, but devote one to poker."

Mr. Edison admitted that he is getting seven hours sleep a day now, and intimated that the tale of sleeping only four hours out of every twenty-four was more or less a myth.

Member's Lone Attack Amazes Alberta House

Session Illegal, Legislature Told—Four Vacant Seats Should Be Filled—Critic Alone in Views

EDMONTON, Feb. 11.—A scene without parallel in the Alberta Legislature was staged at the opening of the House this afternoon when, following Lieutenant-Governor Egbert's throne speech and Premier Brownlee's motion that "His Honor's address be considered tomorrow," Joseph M. Dechene, Liberal, Beaver River, rose in his seat to protest against the holding of the session while there were four vacant seats in the House.

"This is not a party protest," said Mr. Dechene. "I wish to call to the attention of both sides of the House that the Government and the Legislature have enacted that there shall be no session of this House while there are vacant seats in it, and that it is not in the public interest that a session be held under such conditions as the present ones. This Legislature has no right to break its own laws."

Premier Brownlee expressed surprise if many members held the same conviction as Mr. Dechene in the matter. The Government, in deciding not to hold the by-elections before the opening of the present session, he said, had carefully considered the question and had decided it was in the best interests of the province as a whole that the by-elections be not held.

"If the member for Beaver River is anxious to test the feeling of the House in this question," concluded the premier, "he can do so quite readily by moving a vote of censure on the Government for its action."

Mr. Speaker then put the question and only Mr. Dechene's own "No" punctuated the silence, when the negative side of the vote was called.

Liquor Exporters Fined For Falsifying Records

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 11.—The Consolidated Exporters' Corporation this afternoon was fined $1,000 by Magistrate McClymont in police court on conviction of falsifying accounts in connection with a shipment of liquor to the United States fishing boat Heigeland. A further charge against the company in connection with the sale of liquor to fishing boats will be heard tomorrow.

Three Officials Will Advise New City Committee

Mayor and Aldermen Brown and Woodward Personnel of Water Body—Council to Get Report Monday

Whole Idea Is Reviewed

Water Commissioner Frank M. Preston and City Comptroller A. D. Macdonald, together with ex-Alderman A. E. Todd, will act in an advisory capacity to the water committee, Mayor Carl Pendray announced yesterday. They will prepare all necessary data on water costs and the further development and sale of the city's surplus water.

The membership of the committee will include the following personnel: Mayor Pendray, and Aldermen P. R. Brown and E. S. Woodward, chairmen, respectively, of the finance and public works committees of the City Council.

The second meeting of the Victoria Water Committee was held yesterday in the Mayor's office, and a full report of the gathering will be submitted to the City Council on Monday night. The meeting was a private one and no statement of the business transacted was issued.

Misunderstanding Arises

Mayor Pendray said yesterday that there appeared to be some misunderstanding as to the appointment of ex-Alderman Todd and the waterworks question.

"The whole idea is to combine the Sooke Lake Waterworks and the Goldstream waterworks undertaking, and if these are properly looked after they can be made great revenue producers for the City of Victoria, and be the means of building up the surrounding communities," said the Mayor, who intimated that he would recommend to the City Council at its meeting on Monday night the formation of a water committee to function in the same manner as other civic committees, viz., lands, finance, etc. This will entail rescinding of the motion of last Monday constituting the board.

Is a Big Undertaking

"As this waterworks question is such a big undertaking, I don't think that any of the aldermen could be expected to devote as much time to this important branch of the city's business as is necessary, and accordingly, we have asked the Water Commissioner, City Comptroller and ex-Alderman Todd to act in an advisory capacity to the water committee."

Since it has been decided to alter the name of the water board to a committee of the City Council, it is doubtful if it will be necessary to pass a by-law defining the duties of the body. The committee will be like any other city committee, will consider water matters and make recommendations to the City Council.

It is not likely that the water committee will meet again until next week.

Hospital Burns In Zero Weather

Patients Forced Out Into Bitter Cold When Flames Spread From Upper Story

PARRY SOUND, Ont., Feb. 11.—In bitterly cold weather, patients of the Stone Memorial Hospital had to be transferred to St. Joseph's Hospital and nearby boarding houses when fire broke out in the attic of the hospital today. So far no ill consequences have been shown.

The fire was brought under control of the hospital staff as the fire brigade arrived on the scene. The cause was a defective chimney.

Much damage was done by water, which necessitated the removal of the patients. By means of taxicabs and ambulances these were transferred with efficiency.

Two Miners Hurt

NANAIMO, Feb. 11.—Falling thirty feet to the bottom of the Island Coal Company's shaft at Wellington today, Harry Shepherd, jr. Nanaimo, and Robert Pringle, of East Wellington, are lying in hospital seriously injured.

Alien Produce Flooding B.C., Ottawa Told

Farmers Find Towns Stocked With American Fruit and Chinese Eggs, Says Mr. W. K. Esling

Kootenay Member Raps Government

Millions Spent to Bring in Immigrants While Canadians Flock Across Border Into United States

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—Liberals took no part in today's debate in the House. With one exception all speeches were by Conservatives.

W. K. Esling, Conservative, Kootenay West, said that when the British Columbia farmer now drove to the stores in the nearest town he found them stocked with American eggs, fruit and produce. Chinese eggs were coming in, sold to bakeries and cheap eating houses, and the Canadian farmer suffered.

Mr. Esling charged the Government with having spent $10,000,000 to bring in 571,000 immigrants while 536,000 Canadians had gone to the United States.

Independents in Less Favor Now

Mr. Esling quoted from the Prime Minister's speeches early in the election campaign referring to the need of a substantial majority for a Government. In Kootenay West Mr. King had asked the electors to support the opponent to the Conservative candidate. This man was designated Farmer, ex-Labor, ex-Progressive, ex-Independent. "It is a mouthful," said Mr. Esling "but the Prime Minister swallowed it like maple syrup."

Mr. King had been very friendly to Independent candidates before the election, but he was not saying many nice things to the Independent candidate in Prince Albert.

Development of the natural resources of British Columbia would solve Canada's immigration problem, her unemployment problem and certainly the exodus of Canadians to the United States.

Mr. Esling asserted the mining industry of British Columbia had grown to very large proportions. What was required was action on the part of the Government in connection with mineral field and research work.

Fruit Dumped Into B. C.

Mr. Esling said that the Government, by removing the anti-dumping penalty of forty cents on a box of apples put on by the Conservative Government, had admitted American

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Smallpox Epidemic Strikes California

More Than 400 Cases Reported in First Thirty-Five Days of Present Year

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 11.—A warning that smallpox of "an entirely virulent type" is prevalent in California and that no resident of the state who has not been successfully vaccinated in recent years can afford to forego this protection, was issued today by the state board of health.

"For the first thirty-five days of the present year," explained the board's statement, "443 cases of smallpox with forty-two deaths have been reported to the California State Board of Health.

"Similar conditions regarding smallpox have existed recently and exist at present time in other states. An extremely virulent type made its appearance in the United States during the last few years and since the Autumn of 1924 this disease has exacted a heavy toll in California."

Young Man Arrested For Alberta Murder

Karl Perdue Charged With Slaying of Walter Vere—Victim Killed at Officer's Door

LETHBRIDGE, Feb. 11. Karl Perdue, aged twenty-three, was arrested late today and charged with murder in connection with the killing here this morning of Walter Vere. Perdue is said to have made a confession which will be admitted as evidence at the inquest to be held Friday. The police refuse to reveal the contents of the alleged confession.

Vere was shot and killed at 3 o'clock this morning in what was believed to be an attempt on the life of Constable Carr, of the Alberta Provincial police. Two men called the constable to the door of his home. The constable became suspicious and grappled with the man nearest the door, whereupon his companion fired two shots from near the gate. Both shots hit Vere and he died almost instantly. The man who fired the fatal shots made his escape and the arrest of Perdue followed an all-day search.

Russian Gems Making Appearance in London

LONDON, Feb. 11.—A large number of jewels which the Russian Government is selling are said by the newspapers to have reached London and that this fact is causing remarkable activity in the diamond market. It is said these are not imperial jewels, but gems seized from monasteries, churches and courtiers. The Westminster Gazette says the entire consignment is valued at more than $25,000,000. The dealers are maintaining great secrecy and the various stories about jewels can not be confirmed.

From the Colonist Tower

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THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine, with frost at night.

Sun Rises: 7:26 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 5:29 o'clock.

High Tide: 1:21 p.m., 9.6 feet.
Low Tide: 9:12 p.m., 1.2 feet.

The News

Local and Provincial—
- Three officials are to act in advisory capacity to water committee, Mayor J. Carl Pendray announces.
- Lumbering operations becoming active in all parts of the island.
- Question of admission of women to Synod discussed and postponed until next year.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
- British Columbia farmers suffering from foreign competition, House of Commons told.
- Government's efforts concentrated on prevention of customs exposure, Ottawa probe indicates.
- Member makes lone attack on Alberta Legislature, claiming session illegal.
- World's biggest liner planned by White Star line.
- British timber men embittered by placing of tie order in British Columbia.
- Snow blanket in Eastern United States brings motor traffic to halt.
- Snow motors start long crawl across Alaska to shore of Arctic.

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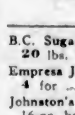
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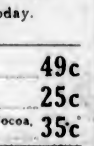
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DUNDEE, SCOTLAND, Feb. 11.—Dr. James Fairlie Gemmill, the distinguished Scottish scientist and professor of zoology at Dundee University, was found drowned in the Firth of Tay near Tay Bridge Monday.

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Finest Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs. for	25c	Okanagan Tomatoes, per tin	10c
Choice Cleaned Currants, 2 lbs. for	25c	Quaker Corn, 2 tins for	25c
Del Monte Ripe Olives, per tin	11c	Libby's Peaches, 30c tins	21c

Shelled Walnuts, Halves, lb. 42¢, Quarters, lb. 39¢, Pieces, lb. ... 35¢

Clark's Tomato Soup, per tin	10c	Dry Green Peas, per lb.	6c
Girardelli's Chocolate, 1-lb. tins	45c	Beehive Honey, 5-lb. tins	95c

Horne's Double Cream Custard Powder, 1-lb. tins ... 30¢

Fels Naptha Soap, 3 bars	22¢	Red Head Matches, large boxes	11¢
White Swan Washing Powder, per pkt.	25¢	2 in 1 Shoe Polish, per tin	10¢

Strictly New Laid Eggs, Extras, per doz. ... 40¢

Pineapple Marmalade, lb.	19¢	Choice Cauliflowers, each	15¢
Sliced Bologna, lb.	18¢	Fine Juicy Lemons, doz.	15¢
Choice Breakfast Bacon, piece or half piece, lb.	39¢	Marmalade Oranges, doz.	20¢
Peanut Butter, lb.	16¢	Large Grapefruit, each	5¢
Domestic Shortening, lb.	17½¢	Shelled Peanuts, 2 lbs.	25¢
Ontario Cheese, per lb.	27¢	Netted Gem Potatoes, sk.	$2.90
Picnic Hams, lb.	19¢	New Hallowi Dates, lb.	10¢
		Cooking Apples, per box	95¢
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Shoulders Young Pork, lb.	19¢	Prime Ribs of Beef, lb.	20¢
Legs Young Pork, lb.	28¢	Rumps of Beef, lb.	21¢, 19¢
Shoulders of Veal, lb.	18¢, 16¢	Sirloin Tips, lb.	23¢, 19¢
Legs of Veal, lb.	25¢	Legs of Lamb, lb.	39¢
Veal for Pies, 3 lbs. for	32¢	Boiling Fowl, lb	27¢

Problem as to Use of Narcotics Remains Acute

Rev. H. T. Archbold Brings Matter to Attention of Final Session of Synod of B. C. Last Night

Thanks Voted to Bishop

A paper on narcotics by the Rev. H. T. Archbold was one of the most important matters which came before the final session of the annual Synod of British Columbia Diocese last evening at Memorial Hall.

Mr. Archbold argued that the problem of addiction to narcotics was still acute. Occasional seizures of large amounts of narcotics showed that there must be an extensive illicit trade still in progress. The greatest problem was the prevention of smuggling.

Some redeeming features in the situation were shown. The Department of Health at Ottawa had framed a model law for the treatment of addicts, voluntary or compulsory and were setting up institutions where such treatment might be secured. Alberta and Nova Scotia had already passed the law and already had institutions in operation. All other provinces had agreed on the principle, but legislation had yet to be passed giving it effect.

The speaker showed that while the last opium conference had been disappointing in many respects, it had, nevertheless, made progress in certain co-operative measures for the reduction of import and export of opium and its derivatives in setting up a committee to inquire into the possibility of turning into other directions of agricultural production the large areas now used for the growing of the poppy. In conclusion, the speaker suggested certain types of literature that might be read on the subject.

Report on Bishop's Charge

At the morning session yesterday much of the discussion revolved round the plan of campaign for the new cathedral, the subject being brought up through Archdeacon Laycock's report for the committee on the Bishop's charge. The committee suggested the first ten days in May as the time for the intensive campaign for funds, the Synod giving its hearty support.

Mr. F. E. Winslow, chairman of the executive committee on the cathedral campaign, and Messrs. F. W. Jones and A. R. Merrix gave the Synod a survey of the proposed method of campaign.

Observance Is Lax

Rev. Dr. Heustis, traveling secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, reviewed for the Synod the objectives of the Lord's Day Alliance before appealing to the clergy for their support of the movement which seeks to guard the great institution of the Lord's Day. He lamented the inclination to confuse the civil and religious aspects of Sunday observance. The law in Canada had been successfully invoked for the civil observance of the day, bringing about the closing of stores and the cessation of trading, but there was still great laxity in the religious observance of the day. The church might do much to form public opinion in this way. The Leonard Foundation, of which he is the British Columbia representative, is already assisting sixty-five young people toward higher education.

Bishop Schofield gave eloquent support to the appeal made by Rev. Dr. Vance, principal of the Anglican Theological College, Vancouver, for the churches' support of the new building scheme entertained by the college. The church, now in its third generation in the West, had no right to look to England for her ministers and the clergy should see to it that no boy of promise should be lost to the ministry if he had any sympathies in that direction.

Bishop Thanked

The meeting last night concluded with a very hearty vote of thanks moved by Rev. S. Ryall, of Nanaimo to Bishop Schofield for the able and diplomatic manner in which he had presided at the sessions of the Synod.

Part of the evening session was taken up with a discussion of Easter offerings, following the introduction of a resolution that Canon 13, concerning this matter, be amended.

Women's Admission to Synod Both Favored and Opposed by Members

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wider standpoint than was intimated in the resolution as presented.

Amendment Adopted

Rev. Mr. Archbold and Dr. Price, on request of the Synod, drew up an amendment to the original resolution. This read as follows:

"In view of the problem of mental deficiency, and, further, in view of the association of diseases, especially the social diseases and marriage, therefore be it resolved that the whole subject be referred to a special committee consisting of three clergy, three doctors and a lawyer; that such committee be appointed by the Bishop, and shall have power to add laymen and laywomen to its numbers; and that this committee report its findings to the next Synod."

"We treat animals in a way that we don't treat our own people," maintained one speaker to the motion, who said the health certificate before marriage should be demanded "purely on the grounds of statesmanship and good citizenship and with a view to keeping up the national stock."

Major Longstaff said that preparation for marriage should begin with confirmation.

Church's Duty Clear

"If we do not face this question we are putting off from the church her own straightforward duty," said Bishop Schofield. It was the church which upheld marriage as an enduring state. It was the state which took the stand that under certain conditions the bond should be annulled. Therefore, the church, in emphasizing her idea of an enduring Christian marriage must be the first to see that the conditions were the very best in every particular, the spiritual, mental and physical.

"We clergy—we all know it—have married people about whom we have known nothing," continued Bishop Schofield in advancing a plea that the church should stand by its ideals and that it should impress on the fathers and mothers the need of talking to their sons and daughters. In response to a question from one of the clergy as to whether the clergy were in a position to refuse to marry any applicants, the bishop emphatically stated that the clergy were absolutely independent and might refuse to marry people for any reason or for no reason.

This practically concluded the debate on the amendment, which was adopted.

Women in Synod

The Synod went into committee to consider the matter on the agenda paper defined as "the requisite amendments to the constitution and canons as ordered by the last session of the Synod regarding the admission of women as members of the Synod." But after short debate, on the motion of the chancellor, Mr. Lindley Crease, "that this committee resolve itself into the House again and that the first reading of the canon be reconsidered," Bishop Schofield returned to the chair and reminded the Synod of the lengthy reference he had made at last year's Synod regarding the admission of women as members.

Caution Advised

"I think that in this matter, judging from the experience during the last few years, some measure of caution should be exercised," urged Rev. Robt. Connell. He had, said this speaker, always been an advocate of "women's rights" in the Synod. But, he pointed out, women were in the majority in some parishes of the Diocese. If women were admitted in the Synod it was just possible, in view of this, that they might become a majority, which would be a very lamentable thing. Any change in the canons should modify the admission of women at least to the point where they would not be in the majority, where there would be an equal proportion of men and women at most.

In the Women's Auxiliary the church possessed a powerful organization. The W.A. was, in its splendid organization and the businesslike precision of its activities, a wonderful example to the men. This night, the speaker admitted, be an argument in favor of composing the Synod chiefly of women. But it would be a mischievous thing for the church if women were predominant in the Synod in view of the power which women already possessed in their W.A. He, therefore, would propose that the consideration of the matter be postponed for another year.

Opposition Expressed

This attitude met with very hearty applause from one section of the meeting. Major Longstaff supported the opposition to the admission of women to the Synod on the grounds that women had their distinct spheres of work in the Diocese, work which, in fact, was greater than many of them could stand. If they were offered admission to the Synod it would be just another field for them to spread their energies into and would injure their present work. Furthermore, it was only after much pressure that sufficient men had been brought into church work. The Synod must be very careful not to do anything to impede their interest.

"The right-about-face of some of the members of the Synod has compelled me to ask myself whether this Synod is the victim of emotional spasms or of logical thinking," said Dean Quainton in entering the debate.

"There was a tendency throughout the whole English-speaking world to give women a larger place in every sphere, in the municipal, the ecclesiastical, on boards of guardians, in education and politics. Was the Church of England in the Synod of British Columbia about to take a retrograde action," asked the Dean.

Work Well Together

"The fear has been expressed by one or two speakers that by admitting women to the Synod we shall choke off the men," recalled the dean. There was no justification for such fear, according to his personal experience. Speaking as a member of the Social Service League of Victoria, a body composed of both men and women, the dean stated that they worked enthusiastically together, each making an important contribution.

"We do not find there that the interest shown by the women in the work chokes off the energies of the men. The co-operation of the women is something we need not fear. It is a matter of elementary right that they should be admitted, whatever the effect. They will do less good than some women think, and less harm than some men think. But bearing in mind what the women did when some of us men were asleep, it is a matter of common justice to let the women come into the Synod."

Rural Views

Colonel L. G. Fawkes, Gulf Islands lay representative, said that they had found it very difficult to get delegates to Synod from the Gulf Islands. If women had been admitted as members of the Synod they might not have experienced this difficulty. A second lay delegate from another rural parish endorsed this idea, their parish having had a similar difficulty in getting delegates.

Mr. P. Wollaston, one of the lay delegates from the Cathedral parish, maintained that the Synod was not deteriorating or that it needed the help of the ladies, although by this he did not mean to belittle their abilities.

"But there is a real danger in admitting ladies to the floor of the House—at least for the present," argued the speaker. Mr. Wollaston referred to the diversion of the women's energies from other important work which they were doing, work much needed by the church. The number of really able women leading and organizing the women's works was limited. And these most able women would naturally, were women admitted to the Synod, be sent as delegates, a direct loss to the movements and activities in which they were already engaged. These women were greatly needed to continue the work of training younger women for the work which they themselves are doing today. It was not fair to ask the women's societies to pass on their best minds to the Synod until they had trained new material to replace them.

Time Held Not Ripe

"By failing to admit women to our body we are not retrograde; we are simply not joining the feminist movement—although we are not opposing it. We are simply saying the time is not ripe for their admission.

"Is there," asked Mr. Wollaston, "any improvement in our legislative body in British Columbia due to the admission of a woman member? Is there any improvement in the House of Commons because of the admission of two or three women members?"

A rural lay delegate said that it had always been very difficult to get men interested in church work; if the work were handed over to the women there was a danger that the men would drop out altogether.

Dean Quainton asked Mr. Wollaston if Miss Maude Royden, London's famous woman preacher at the Guild House, Eccleston Square, were to visit Victoria, would he like her to be admitted to the Synod. Yet there were many latent Maude Roydens.

Mr. Wollaston replied amid laughter that he thought the question too complex.

Chancellor Favorable

The Chancellor, Mr. Lindley Crease, favored the admission of women, although admitting that for many years he had been opposed to it. "I am rather in love with the expression, 'right-about-face,'" said the speaker, "because in the passing of years a ripening process went on which caused one to see things in a different way. In the evolution that had been proceeding in the minds of civilized people and communities, women had been taking more and more an active part in co-operation with and management of affairs, both lay and spiritual. Men were beginning to recognise that women were reading and learning much more about these things which men had been went to consider their own particular province.

Few women at present had any desire, he said, to take part either in church matters or politics. But if any woman wished to enter the Synod and could persuade an electorate that they were competent to act as delegates, then, he thought, the time was ripe. He, personally, believed that the Synod would benefit by the introduction of some representatives of the great womens' organizations, particularly the Women's Auxiliary. After all, was not the church dealing with souls? And if there was no difference between a man's soul and a woman's, why should there be any distinction in the church's treatment of the receptacles of the souls?

Rev. F. Comley, of Alert Bay, who recalled that he had been a student of Maude Royden's, affirmed that Alert Bay had a Maude Royden in the splendid woman missionary there.

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Other matters discussed by the afternoon session of the Synod had to do with assessment and transportation.

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MOOSE JAW, Feb. 11.—Five years in the penitentiary at Prince Albert was the sentence given James G. Jones, convicted of the robbery of the Moose Jaw postoffice on December 1, 1924, by Mr. Justice H. Y. Macdonald this morning when court opened.

Today's Specials
At the New England Market

Prime Ribs of Beef, lb.	20¢	Rump Roasts Beef, lb.	20¢
Pot Roasts Beef, lb.	12½¢	Boiling Beef, lb.	12½¢
Boneless Stew Beef, per lb.	15¢		

CORN-FED PORK

Shoulder Roast Pork, lb.	25¢	Pork Steaks, lb.	27¢
Side of Pork, lb.	25¢	Legs of Pork, lb.	28¢

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Rolled Roasts of Veal, lb.	23¢	Legs of Veal, lb.	25¢
Shoulder Roasts Veal, lb.	18¢	Veal Stew, lb.	15¢

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Cooked Ham, per lb.	60¢	Fancy Fowl, per lb.	27¢

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Diplomat's Murder Arouses Russia

Trotzky Declares Soviet Official Was Killed by Plotters Against Republic

MOSCOW, Feb. 11.—The murder of a Soviet diplomatic courier, February 5, on a train bound for Riga and inside Latvian territory, continues to be a painful subject here. The newspapers are devoting daily articles to the affair, and hinting strongly at organized plots against the Soviet regime.

Leon Trotzky today said that the purpose of the men who killed the courier and wounded his companion was to secure documents which would convict the Soviet of plots against the capitalistic countries.

"The circumstances of the crime," Trotzky said, "leave no doubt that the murderers were convinced there would be no lack of financial reward if they succeeded in getting essential proofs against Russia."

Club "Pro"—"Your trouble is, sir, that you don't address the ball properly."

Novice—"Well, I was polite to the darn thing for as long as possible."

City's Special Offer Comes to An End Monday

Prairie People Buying City-Owned Property to Have Railway Fare Deducted From Purchase

Victoria Well Advertised

The special offer extended by the city to prairie residents who purchase property in Victoria will be withdrawn on Monday, February 15, unless the City Council decides to extend the time limit.

With a view to interesting prairie people in Victoria and inducing them to invest in property here, the City Council, through the Lands Department, has been conducting an advertising campaign in the Prairie Provinces during the last few months.

The advantages of Victoria from every standpoint have been heralded extensively in the neighboring provinces by the city through publicity in newspapers, magazines, journals, circulars, letters and other methods.

Transportation Deducted

The Land Department has shown the prairie people that Victoria has many choice desirable home sites, and that, should they come to this city and purchase city-owned property to the value of $750 or more, the cost of their return transportation fare would be deducted from the price of the purchase.

Prairie residents have been advised by the Lands Department that city-owned properties were being offered for sale at much below their actual value and that it would pay them to take a trip to Victoria and take advantage of the special offer being made by the City Council. They have been informed that it would be a good investment for them to buy property here, even if they did not intend permanently to locate in Victoria.

Time Expires on Monday

Considerable interest has been aroused on the Prairies through this advertising the city has been conducting, and all prairie people who take advantage of this offer will have to do so by Monday next.

Big Paper Mill At Port Alice To Be Reopened

New Company Formed to Take Over Plant and Operations of Whalen Pulp and Paper Company

The reopening of the big Port Alice pulp and paper mill is expected to follow from the incorporation of the British Columbia Pulp and Paper Company with capital at $1,000,000 and 150,000 shares to take over the plant and operations of the Whalen Pulp and Paper Company at the Quatsino Sound port.

The company, incorporation of which was announced yesterday, has been formed by the debenture holders of the Whalen Company, which was in the hands of a receiver.

The full list of incorporations last week as made public at the Parliament Buildings yesterday is as follows:

Steam Electric Limited, $20,000, Trail, private.

Gifford Shingle Company Limited, $10,000, Gifford, private.

Pioneer Ranch Company Limited, $125,000, Kelowna, private.

McTavish & Whillis Limited, $15,000, Kelowna, private.

Wm. J. Heaslip Company Limited, $15,000, Vancouver, private.

Vancouver Mill Machines Limited, $10,000, Vancouver, private.

Ellison Orchards Limited, $10,000, Kelowna, private.

Sunshine Orchard Company, Limited, $20,000, East Kelowna, private.

Yairk Granite Company Limited, $50,000, public.

W. J. Nichols Limited, 10,000, Vernon, private.

Tom Brown Mines Limited (non-personal liability), $250,000, Vancouver, public.

Pattison-Higbie Motors Limited, $50,000, Vancouver, private.

Takahara Limited, $10,000, Vancouver, private.

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Clearing Odd Lines of Women's Ribbed Lisle and Ribbed Wool Hose, broken sizes. Values up to $1.75 per pair. To clear Dollar Day at .... 75¢

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Women's High-Grade Plain and Fancy Silk Hose, in shades of black, white, grey and sand; in sizes 8½ to 10. Formerly priced regular up to $4.50 per pair. To clear Dollar Day at, per pair ... $2.95

Dollar Day Bargains in Knit Underwear

Women's Fleeced Cotton Vests, in all the wanted styles and sizes. Formerly priced regular up to $1.75. To clear Dollar Day at $1.00

Women's Fine Quality Wool Vests in all the wanted sizes. Formerly priced up to $3.50. To clear Dollar Day at $1.50

Women's Winter Weight Combinations, in all the wanted styles and sizes. Regular values up to $3.75 per suit. To clear Dollar Day at $1.95

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Mona Lisa Veils to clear Dollar Day at, each .... 25¢

Odd Lot of Neckwear to clear at three pieces for $1.00

Collars and Vestees, a bargain at 50¢ and .... 90¢

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Women's Bloomers at 2 Pairs for $1.00

Women's Winter Weight Good Quality Bloomers, in shades of grey, pink, mauve and sand; all sizes. Regular 90c—Two pairs for $1.00

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Cloth and Flannel Dresses, Reg. to $22.50 for $8.95

Knitted Wool Frocks, Regular to $17.50 for $9.90

Knitted Wool Sports Suits, Reg. to $19.75 for $12.75

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Women's Cardigan Wool Sweaters, Dollar Day $3.95

Women's Sleeveless Cardigan Sweaters. A real bargain for Dollar Day shoppers at .... $1.95 and $2.95

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Children's Splendid Quality Cosy and Warm Dressing Gowns for ages 6 to 12 years. These gowns were formerly priced regular up to $4.95. To clear Dollar Day at $1.95

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Women's Smartly Styled and Excellent Quality Gingham House Dresses in sizes 36 to 44. Formerly priced regular up to $3.90. To clear Dollar Day at $1.95

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Tijuana Police Chief Placed Under Arrest

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 11.—Chief of Police Zenaido Llanos, of Tijuana, was relieved of office and put under arrest by District Inspector Peralta, of the Mexican police, today on a charge of having attacked Audrey Peteet, one of the two American girls who were outraged at Tijuana several days ago while on a visit to the Mexican town with their parents. All four of the Peteets were found in the gas-filled kitchen of their home here last Saturday. The father and mother and the youngest girl, Audrey, were dead when found and the other daughter died later in a hospital. The other men, bartenders, are under arrest at Tijuana as the result of the outrage which is supposed to have shamed the Peteet family so much that they all agreed to commit suicide. At least, that is the theory of Coroner Kelly, who has reported the matter to the State Department at Washington, and has has received a reply that the matter will be fully investigated by that department.

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Soviet Curtails Work

MOSCOW, Feb. 11.—Hampered by the gathering of only 70 per cent of the total quantity of grain it had intended to export, the Soviet Government will be compelled to curtail its industrial programme by $225,000,000 according to the Supreme Economic Council.

Early Morning Fire

VANCOUVER, Feb. 11.—Retiring after South Vancouver firemen had extinguished a blaze in their home in the early morning hours, the family of M. Ridburg were forced into the streets in their night attire three hours later when fire completely destroyed the house.

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PRINCE ALBERT BY-ELECTION

Mr. Mackenzie King's campaign in the by-election at Prince Albert has possibly been helped by the fact that he has only paid a flying visit to the people whose votes he is seeking. Perhaps he was told that his prestige would be all the stronger if he remained away. When he did speak in Prince Albert he devoted much time to insinuations about his opponent. He said, for instance, that a young man of limited means did not put up a deposit of $200 for the pleasure of losing it, and that this young man did not put paid advertisements in newspapers nor hire school houses unless somebody was putting up the money for these outlays. Surely such insinuations are unworthy of a Prime Minister. It appears as if Mr. King's overweening self conceit leads him to believe that it is temerity for anyone to oppose his political ambitions. No doubt he will be elected in Prince Albert, for in every probability he will receive the bulk of the Progressive votes, but he has gained no votes by his criticism of his opponent. It was a petty piece of business and it looks as if Mr. King was diplomatically advised by his supporters that the seat was safe and that his presence there was no longer required.

BRITISH IMMIGRANTS

Under the new Federal immigration scheme and in connection with the 3,000 families to be brought here from Britain for settlement during the next two years, 150 of these families are to be settled in British Columbia. Nothing has been made public yet of the location of the farms that have been selected in this Province. The settlers are entitled to the reduced rates for passengers under the agreement between the Governments of Canada and Great Britain. The fare to Vancouver will be £9. The Canadian Government is to provide the farms and the British Government will furnish a loan to each family up to £300 for stock and equipment which is repayable, with the cost of the farm, at 5 per cent interest by 25 annual instalments, the first of which will fall due at the end of the second season. The minimum amount which a settler must have in his possession on landing in this country is £25. He must choose in which province he desires to settle, provided there is government land available, and groups of families may be settled in the same locality. One provision made is that every settler will at first be given employment locally so that he can acquire the necessary experience of farming in this country before taking up his own farm.

Up to date 1,200 farms have been selected by the Canadian Government for the experiment. There are now 600 families waiting to sail from Britain during the coming Spring and many families have already reached here. It is anticipated that 300 more will be ready by June next. Mr. G. N. Gordon, the Minister of Immigration, says that of those already here, 85 per cent have definitely expressed themselves as happy and satisfied in their new surroundings.

FILM SUGGESTIONS

One English student of the films, Mr. Alexander Bakshy, believes that the convention which prescribes that all sections of a film, whatever their subject, should be of one size has neither artistic nor technical justification and has resulted in robbing the medium of one of its most valuable means of expression—namely, the accent. In justification of his conception in this regard Mr. Bakshy says that no artist illustrating a book would dream of making all his drawings of equal size, yet this is what one and all film-producers do. His strictures on present-day films may go too far but they are worth producing inasmuch as his conception has struck many. He says:

The films of today are almost without exception incredibly formless. Not only do they tell insipid, puerile stories, but they do so in the crudest way imaginable, with scarcely any attempt at the art of story-telling. Perhaps the only advance achieved during the last few years in the narrative exposition of film-story has been the use of a small but characteristic detail to indicate a scene or a character. As for the rest—the relative place of the different parts of a story, their dramatic tempo, and the building up of a dramatic climax, these are not to be found in one film out of a thousand.

M. Bakshy makes one suggestion which he admits will appear heretical to the experts in the trade. It is that to give a film story a semblance of coherence and structural form it is essential that its principal incidents should be made more prominent than the subsidiary ones. He then goes on to suggest methods to achieve this end. One is the variation of the size of the projected frame so that the pictures of smaller size shall be confined to the less important incidents. He emphasizes the problems of accent and rhythm, and says that a wise distribution of dramatic accent will give the film a certain amount of unity, though it will still leave it comparatively loose in structure. To give the film a definite and unmistakable form it is necessary to invoke the powers of rhythm. The rhythmic principle he believes can be found in the combination of time and the size of the picture, but he admits that the problem bristles with considerable difficulties and complexities. He has at least given film producers something to think about at a time when the industry as a whole is not showing any particularly novel or instructive development.

MENTAL DEFICIENCY

A letter signed by a number of leading medical men, headed by Sir William Arbuthnot Lane, has appeared in the London press dealing with the subject of mental deficiency and the influence of heredity. It is of interest beyond the bounds of the country to which it is directed; and perhaps at the moment of particular interest in this Province, where a select committee of the Legislature is now sitting to determine causes and devise remedies for there being a growing number of the mentally afflicted. The letter in question draws attention to the fact that according to the last annual reports there are in Great Britain over 201,000 mentally affected individuals, and of these over 51,000 are congenital mental defectives for many of whom no room can be found in existing institutions. Heredity is assigned as the cause for mental deficiency in the vast majority of cases. Sir William Arbuthnot and his fellow practitioners believe that the time has more than arrived when something definite in the way of treatment should be undertaken to lessen the number of mentally deficient children.

The letter says that the "fundamentals of the mind" are begotten with the body, and pre-determine character and conduct. It is pointed out that the experience of superintendents of institutions for feeble-minded individuals is that, with few rare exceptions, the feeble-minded remain as they are, no matter what is done for them. The plea made is that propagation by the mentally deficient should be stopped, for if that is done then the claim is that their numbers will rapidly decline. "Like begets like," says the letter, and the present result of unrestricted re-production is that children are born to swell the numbers of useless and unemployable individuals. In conclusion the letter says: "We are strongly of the opinion that sentiment and ignorance should not be allowed to interfere with a means of treatment by which the capacity to produce an imbecile progeny would be arrested. The Legislature rarely acts until a demand comes from the people. Surely the available facts are sufficiently strong to call for legislation on this question for the future good of the nation."

A young Briton not yet 20 years of age has written to the London correspondent of The Manchester Guardian his sad reflection on the passing of 1925. Taking women's fashions, he alludes to the diminution of the apex of the human form divine and the glorification of the base. Women, he says, have cut off their hair, and, in order further to accentuate the unimportance of the face, they wear a cloth cap which almost extinguishes it. "At the same time," he says, "they have turned all their ingenuity into increasing the interest in what used to be called the lower limbs. . . . The result is that 1926 is faced by a feminine world where the interest has changed from the head to the feet.

Premier Oliver when a guest at a Vancouver banquet said, in talking of the political situation at Ottawa, that no matter what the political complexion of the members (outside the Conservatives) they all united in a crisis to keep the Conservative party from gaining power. He inferred from this that the Liberals and their supporters represent a majority public opinion in the country. Might it not be the case that the so-called unanimity in a crisis is simply the determination to make sure of the political loaves and fishes just as it is in the analogous situation which prevails in the Legislature of British Columbia.

In connection with the recent eclipse of the sun the most satisfactory photographic work appears to have been done by the Dutch-German Expedition at Bencoolen. The instruments used to test the Einstein theory are being left in the position they were in at the time of the eclipse so as to take photographs at night in three months. Then the stars in the immediate neighborhood of the sun will be re-photographed to see if they appear in different positions.

Britain's policy of protection adopted under the safeguarding of Industries Act now includes something like 7,000 types of articles. It is working admirably, and undoubtedly will be extended during the present session of the British Parliament.

In Britain the deaths of passengers on railways for the last 25 years have averaged three a year. In proportion to the density of travel no other country on earth can show a lighter record.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

One of the stately homes of England is about to be torn down, the pieces packed and sacked, and shipped to Mount Vernon, in the United States. The home that is to be transported across the ocean is the ancient place of residence of the ancestors of George Washington, the father of his country and its first President. On reaching Mount Vernon the debris, composed of stone, brick, mortar and wood, will be assembled in accordance with its original form, and the old English home of the Washingtons will become the shrine of the American people. As Gilbert's Major-General said when his rights as the proprietor of an old churchyard were questioned, "I don't care whose ancestors they were; they are my ancestors now."

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There was a time when the American people affected to despise the old and cherished institutions of Europe. The American people appear to be beginning to revere such institutions. They are buying old English castles and priories, pulling them down, carrying them across the sea, and setting them up in the United States. They are purchasing treasures of art and gems of literature and housing them in imposing edifices in the United States. They are probably the only people left in the world who can afford to buy up and hoard such treasures.

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The American people are even developing an interest in their ancestors. They seem to think that after all there may be something in the old-world idea that ancestry amounts to something; that there may be some advantage in descent from reputable, able and aggressive ancestors. At one time they were proud of George Washington as a man; now they are gratified to think that George came of a good old English family, and their pride and gratification are increased by the fact that the family seat of the Washingtons is worthy of the great honor about to be bestowed upon it.

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The ancestry of Washington having been established and duly honored, the people of the United States are trying to prove that another of the great men of the United States, a man whose memory is revered as well as honored, is descended from ancient and honorable stock. A professor of history in one of the colleges of the United States declares that he is in possession of documents which prove that Abraham Lincoln was descended from one King Tut, whose tomb is being rifled and desecrated by an American professor whose objects have not been defined, but probably are chiefly objects of curiosity.

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Lincoln's family has been traced by documentary proof away back to the time of the Roman invasion of Great Britain. There was a corps of Egyptians in the invading Roman legions, and one of the officers of that corps was a noble of the name of Ankh, who was a direct descendant of King Tutankhamen. Ankh became attached to British soil and decided to settle there. In time the name became corrupted into Hanks. The Hankses migrated to the United Sates, and one of them in course of time gave birth to Abraham Lincoln.

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Unfortunately for the story or the theory of the professor, Mr. Carter, who is rifling the tomb of King Tut and disturbing the repose of the mummy therein, seems to doubt whether the late monarch was of sufficiently mature age to leave any direct descendants to found a family in Great Britain which was to be the foundation of a distinguished family in the United States. However, the origin of the Lincoln family is not a matter of any importance. Abraham of that ilk was a great and good man, and his name is honored in all parts of the world. If his ancestors were conquerors, he was a liberator.

Human nature in the aggregate appears to be very much like human nature in the unit. When a man has some money in his pocket, or a woman has a trifle of change in her purse, it is a hard matter to resist the temptation to spend it. If the money in the pocket or the change in the purse happens to belong to somebody else, and no restrictions are imposed upon the use of it, the temptation to scatter it abroad is all the greater.

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We are not very sure about it, but we have been told that there was a surplus in the municipal treasury at the end of the late financial year. The municipal council, apparently exhilarated, if not actually intoxicated, by this extraordinary revelation, immediately began to think of ways and means of getting rid of the burden of cash. They forgot all about the timely exhortation to economise until it hurts. They ignored the groans of the heavily-burdened taxpayer and actually appeared to acquiesce in a proposal to increase the load of taxation.

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But our municipal representatives are not singular in their indifference to the appeals of the oppressed. All the Governments in the Dominion are equally indifferent. They are all spending more money than they ought to spend and collecting more money than they ought to collect. They are all seeking new sources of revenue instead of reducing expenditures and balancing their accounts or their budgets in that old-fashioned way. The present Dominion Government purposes engaging in new enterprises that are unjustifiable from a practical and economic point of view because its life depends upon acceding to the demands of the minority political groups in the House of Commons. Democratic institutions are proving very expensive institutions.

Notable Anniversaries

Frederick Temple Hamilton-Temple-Blackwood, first Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, whose name is familiar to Canadians, died on February 12, 1902, at the age of seventy-six. He was born at Florence on June 21, 1826. Lord Dufferin's term as Governor-General covered an important period in the history of Canada, as the country was then settling down in its new status as a confederation, and the rare ability and tact of the Governor were of much benefit to the people. His governorship extended over the years 1872-1878. His Lordship's personality was as strongly in evidence in other important offices, and he well deserved the description of "one of the most admired public servants of his time." The popularity of the Marquis among Canadians was shared by the gracious Marchioness, who was before her marriage Hariet, daughter of Captain A. Rowan Hamilton, of Killyleagh Castle, Down. Lord Dufferin was an Earl during his term in Canada, receiving his title of Marquis for his great services as Governor-General of India in later years. There are still living a number of Victorians who have a remembrance of His Lordship's visit to this city in 1876, and the accompanying episode of the "Carnarvon Terms" arch. His last years were clouded by the death of his eldest son in the South African War, and by financial troubles arising from his connection with the promotions of the notorious Whitaker Wright, which brought him heavy losses.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Civic Economy

Sir,—I was glad to have Mr. E. B. Andros a day ahead of me in commenting on the appointment of ex-Alderman A. E. Todd as a prominent member of the water board. Mr. Todd's record is, that not very long ago, he, when trying to put through an ambitious scheme for the amalgamation of the municipalities of the Island, was willing to place the control and distribution of our city's water supply in the hands of a water board on which the representatives of our city could be hopelessly outvoted at any and every meeting. When said scheme was turned down at the polls Mr. Todd claimed that the voters could not understand what they were voting about. It is certainly rather surprising to find Mr. Todd put forward prominently as the best man to negotiate with those same municipalities as regards the sale and control of our water supply. I agree with Mr. Andros that there is no necessity for heavy expenditures in connection with our water which apparently must be sold at a low price.

F. M. READE.

Mount Edwards Apartments, Vancouver Street, Victoria, B.C., February 11, 1926.

British Cabinet Plans Agricultural Credits

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The utilization of the joint stock banks for short-term credits and the establishment of a central land bank for long-term credits are two of the principal proposals contained in the Government's report on agricultural credits, issued by the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries yesterday. The report states that "one of the chief aims of a rational credit system should be to free the farmer from credit entanglements which the system of borrowing from trades people often involves."

Dead Girl Identified

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—Elsie Regan, the Ottawa girl who was found shot to death in New York on Monday and who was only identified yesterday, was the adopted daughter of Hugh McCormick, of the Salvation Army industrial department here. She had a remarkable voice and early in life became stage struck. She left with a show company which visited the city four years ago and has only been heard of four times by her foster-father.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 11, 1926.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	42	48
Vancouver	42	46
Kamloops	26	44
Barkerville	24	36
Prince Rupert	28	44
Estevan	34	44
Dawson, Y.T.	2b	6
Calgary, Alta.	32	36
Winnipeg, Man.	20	32
Portland, Ore.	42	50
San Francisco, Cal.	44	52
Seattle	42	48
Spokane	34	46
Vernon	26	39
Grand Forks	32	40
Nelson	32	42
Cranbrook	20	40
Edmonton	22	32
Prince Albert	12	44
Swift Current	24	32
Qu'Appelle	20	30

THURSDAY

Maximum	49
Minimum	42
Average	45
Minimum on the grass	40

Bright sunshine, 3 hours, 18 minutes.
Rain, .62 inch.
General state of the weather, cloudy.

FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate northerly winds, fine with frost at night.

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5 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.84, wind, N.E., 6 miles, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.84, wind, N.W., 6 miles, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.74, calm, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.72, calm, fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.96, calm, clear.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.62, wind, N.W., 4 miles, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.86, wind, S., 4 miles, clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.72, wind, N.W., 6 miles, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.86, wind, N.W., 4 miles, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.62, wind, S.E., 8 miles, raining.

Ontario Legislature Opens Third Session

No Mention Made of Temperance Act in Speech From Throne —Northern Development

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—The third session of the sixteenth Ontario Legislature was opened yesterday by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor H. Cockshutt.

The Speech from the Throne made no mention of the Ontario Temperance Act and did not even refer indirectly to prohibition or temperance legislation, past, present or future.

No new taxes were forecast.

In immigration special attention is to be given to the bringing out from Britain of boys for farm work, the speech said.

The speech also paid considerable attention to development of various kinds in Northern Ontario, particularly the encouragement of mining, which has made tremendous strides during the past year.

Mosque of St. Sophia

The above building is one of the most notable of the ecclesiastical edifices of Constantinople. The first stone was laid in the year 532, on the site of several successive churches of the same name, of which the first was built by Constantine the Great.

The exterior does not give a visitor any indication of the magnificence of the interior, being unsymmetrical and even disproportionate in appearance. It is said that one hundred master builders superintended the labors of 10,000 workmen in the erection, and the cost was in the neighborhood of one million pounds sterling.

The walls are principally, formed of brick, the interior being lined with the most precious kinds of porphyry and marble. The temples of the ancient gods at Athens, Cyzicus, Heliopolis, Ephesus, Delos and Baalbec were made to contribute to the adornment of the interior, marble columns from all these places being taken for the purpose.

Forty Windows

The dome is constructed of pumice stone and an exceptionally light-weight brick from Rhodes; thus the weight of material is very small for such a large cupola. The centre of the dome is 180 feet from the ground, with a diameter of 107 feet; the curve is so slight that the depth is only forty-six feet, which shows the necessity for light material. There are forty windows round the rim. Round the dome is inscribed, in letters thirty feet high, a verse from the Koran. There are forty columns supporting this cupola, a number that has a superstitious hold on all Eastern nations and which occurs so many times in Biblical writings; the forty days that Elijah was fed by ravens, the same period Moses was on the mount, the flood lasted forty days, our Lord fasted forty days, Nineveh was given forty days to repent, etc. The list could be extended, but the instances are all well known. As stated, there are forty columns supporting the dome, there are sixty more in the galleries, and with the seven at the gates, a total of 107 is formed, which is another mystical number among the Moslems.

Where the high altar stood during the period that St. Sophia was used as a Christian church, the Turks have erected the mihrab, a repository in the form of a chest, with gilt inscriptions, where the Koran is preserved. The mihrab is of necessity, according to Mohammedan custom, placed in the direction of Mecca, so that at this mosque it is situated towards the southeast, and placed sideways in the niche. For the same reason, the faithful have to stand in a slanting position during the time of prayer in order to face the prescribed direction, Mecca, the birthplace of Mahommed.

In the year 1453 Mahommed converted the church into a mosque. The ceremony of consecration was simple; he went into the smaller dome where the high altar stood, and sat, Turkish fashion, with his legs crossed under him; after saying his prayers, he caused himself to be shaved; he then fastened to one of the pillars a fine piece of embroidery which had served as a screen in the mosque at Mecca.

Wonderful Mosaic

It has been said that St. Sophia is more worthy of note than any other relic of former ages as far as dimensions and interior decoration are concerned. The wonderful mosaic of the galleries, which was mostly done with cubes of colored glass, is almost gone and that of the dome and the concave above the windows, done with minute squares of vitreous matter painted and gilded, is not visible to those standing in the body of the mosque. The variegated marble floor is hidden by a covering of mats; the dome, as well as the body of the building is spoiled by hundreds of little cords to which are attached small lamps of colored glass, large ostrich eggs, artificial horse-tails, vases of crystal, and other mean and trumpery article, hanging within a few feet of the floor.

The neighborhood of Constantinople is very subject to earthquakes, and there have been several alterations made to the mosque to repair the damage from these visitations. Some of the pillars have been removed and arches filled in with masonry, and of late years, comparatively speaking, the great dome has been reinforced by the addition of four towers.

Although the building, as originally erected, was next to St. Peter's at Rome, the finest structure in the world, but the Turks have spoiled a lot of it; the mosaic has been sold to tourists; the original decorations have been mutilated where they did not conform to the ideas of the desecrators, and the earthquakes have necessitated alterations that have not improved the interior.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 12, 1876)

Ship Nelms's Hope—This vessel, recently purchased by Messrs. Austin & Forbes, was successfully "hove down" at Esquimalt yesterday, and is now in a favorable position to receive necessary repairs to her keel. She is but slightly damaged, and the owners expect to have her in Nanaimo ready to receive a cargo of coal within the next week. She will ply between Nanaimo and San Francisco in the coal trade and will, in all probability, prove a remunerative purchase to her present owners.

From New Westminster—The steamer Otter arrived here at 4.30 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster, with the following passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Nason, Mr. and Mrs. Ferris, Messrs. Jessop, Edmonds, Lindsay, Bowes, Kinsman, Donnelly, J. Wise and several others.

From the Inlet—The steamer Rita White having had her machinery thoroughly overhauled and put in order by Mr. J. Spratt, of the Albion Foundry, made a satisfactory trial trip yesterday and will leave this morning for Burrard Inlet.

New Ray Discovered By Welsh Professor

Find Fills One of Two Gaps Between X-ray and Ultra-Violet, Discoverer Says

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The discovery of a new type of ray supposed to lie between the ultra-violet and X-rays, is announced by C. E. Wynn Williams, of the University of North Wales, at Bangor.

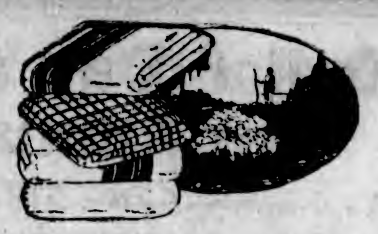
It is said the new rays penetrate the air for several inches, but are stopped by all solids, even by gold leaf, while X-rays can penetrate a half inch of lead. There are two important gaps in the long scale of wave lengths, and the new rays, says Professor Williams, fills one of them, namely that between the X-ray and the violet.

United Church Fund

VANCOUVER, Feb. 10.—Making a total of $37,023.32 subscribed to the maintenance and extension fund of the United Church of Canada, forty-one churches in British Columbia have reached their allocations, and twenty have over-subscribed, according to a list issued by the fund committee. Over - subscriptions total $2,383.

Prosecution Promised

HONOLULU, Feb. 10.—Attorney-General William R. Limer has promised an aggressive prosecution of the persons responsible for the importation and sale of poisonous bay rum, which it is alleged caused the death of six soldiers and serious illness of six others, provided that facts warrant it.



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Italian Senate Approves Debt Pact With Britain

ROME, Feb. 10.—The Italian Senate today approved the debt settlement with Great Britain by a vote of 170 to 7, after Finance Minister Volpi had given a lengthy explanation of the nation's financial situation.

Hebrideans Happy in the Canadian West



THE HOUSE WITH THE NEATLY CURTAINED WINDOWS. THE GALBRAITHS ON THE PORCH.

A TYPICAL HEBRIDEAN FAMILY.

RAPIDLY carving out new homes in Western Canada far from their native land, the Hebrideans have settled down with a determination to succeed in their adopted country. On their new farm of 160 acres near Evarts, Mr. and Mrs. MacLean, with their eight children, have been settled for more than two years. This year they threshed 100 acres of grain.

Another couple from the Hebrides, Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith, have a pleasant little cottage with fluffy muslin curtains at the windows. A short distance from Red Deer, in the vicinity of the former industrial school, are a group of twelve cottages, erected by the Scottish Immigration Society for the purpose of giving temporary accommodation to the Hebrideans while they are endeavoring to become located on farms.

Rev. Mr. Heustis Does Not Want Another Fiasco

Lord's Day Alliance Secretary Against Repetition of Enforcement Demonstration Here in Past

Mayor Offers Comment

"Personally, I would be sorry to see a repetition of the fiasco that occurred some years ago in your city under a former Mayor," Rev. C. H. Huestis, British Columbia secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada, writes in a letter to Mayor Cari Pendray, chairman of the Victoria Police Commission, in referring to the efforts to enforce the Lord's Day Act here several years ago.

"I assure you that we were not responsible for that demonstration at that time. I urged the Mayor of the city then as strongly as I could not to try to do anything drastic, but to move along the lines of least resistance," says Rev. Mr. Heustis.

Rev. Mr. Heustis informs Mayor Pendray that he regretted the Victoria Police Commission had decided to do nothing in the matter of enforcement of the Lord's Day Act, asserting that this has been the policy of the last few years. He says that he did not think that a case had been taken under the Lord's Day Act in Victoria for some time. Vancouver is quite active in the matter, he declares.

One Free Day Urged

The writer states that from a study of the matter he had made in Victoria some time ago, he had come to the conclusion that some forms of Sunday business would be glad to be relieved — particularly tobacco and news stands. "These fellows live a somewhat drab life, or at any rate a monotonous one. I would like to see them with a Sunday holiday like the rest of us. They do not deal in perishable material and hence their business does not come within the category of "necessary."

In concluding, Rev. Mr. Heustis says that his idea of Sunday is a free day for everybody. He believes that the public in general should make some sacrifice in order that everyone might have the day off. That is what he has been working for for many years, he declares, adding that "How people use the day is another question—a matter of conscience—which everyone will have to decide for himself."

Mayor's Comment

Mayor Pendray's only comment on the communication was: "While we have every respect for the Lord's Day Alliance organization the Police Commission of Victoria feels that it is quite capable of seeing that the law is reasonably and fairly carried out."

Victoria Ice Cream Wins First Honors

Northwestern Creamery in Commercial Test Wins From Western Provinces

The Northwestern Creamery, of 1211 Broad Street, this city, has won a signal honor in carrying off the first prize for ice cream in competition with the whole of the Canadian West, including the four Western provinces. This information has been received in a message to Mr. F. H. A. Norton, president of the company.

The winning of the prize is all the more creditable in view of the fact that the test is not made from any fancy sample that has been specially made for the exhibition. On the contrary, the conditions require that the sample put in competition shall be made under all the ordinary requirements for the making of commercial supplies of the cream. The sample sent in, therefore, similar to that served by the company in its regular business.

Mr. Norton, on behalf of his company, magnanimously ascribes the victory in very large part to the quality of the cream produced in this part of the country.

The tests were held in conjunction with the Western Canada Dairy Convention, now in progress in Winnipeg. The Western Canada Ice Cream Makers' convention is held also in conjunction with the dairy convention. The competition was in a class of twenty-four, representing all the Western provinces of the Dominion.

In January the Northwestern Creamery also won the prize for its ice cream at the New Westminster exhibition, where all B.C. competed for the honors.

Obituary

MURTON—Funeral services for the late Miss Sarah Jane Murton, well-known member of the North Ward school teaching staff, will be held on Saturday from the Sands Funeral Chapel at 2:15, proceeding to the Metropolitan Institute, formerly the Congregational Church, where the Rev. Dr. Clem Davies will conduct the service. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery. The late Miss Murton is survived by four brothers: William Murton, of Duncan; George Henry and Frank Murton, of this city, and Frederick John Murton, of Saanich.

McKAY—There passed away early yesterday morning Mrs. Helen McKay, aged sixty-one years, beloved wife of Mr. William McKay, of 515 Montreal Street. She was born in Huntley, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, and had been a resident of this city for the last thirteen years. Besides her husband she leaves two daughters, Miss A. McKay and Miss J. McKay, of San Francisco; one son, William, in Victoria; four sisters, Mrs. James McKay, in Scotland; Miss A. Gordon, in Melrose, Scotland; Mrs. J. McWilliam, in Victoria, and Mrs. R. Smart, in Scotland; also four brothers, James Gordon, in Scotland; William, in New Jersey; John in South Africa, and Peter in Scotland. The body is resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service has been arranged for Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay will officiate and interment will take place at Royal Oak Burial Park.

New Customs Regulation

MONTREAL, Feb. 10.—In future all persons entering the customs building, McGill Street, will be obliged to pass the examination of a Royal Canadian Mounted Police officer, who will be stationed at the doorway. Announcement to this effect was made yesterday by W. S. Weldon, collector of customs, following notification from Ottawa.

New Preacher Takes Pulpit

Rev. Ada Tonkin, Formerly of England, Enters Upon Ministry in Unitarian Church Sunday Morning



REV. ADA TONKIN

On Sunday morning the First Unitarian Church in this city, situated at the corner of Fernwood and Balmoral Roads, will resume services under a regularly ordained preacher of the denomination. For some time past the church has been without a permanently appointed preacher in charge. On Sunday the Rev. Ada Tonkin, who has had a very successful ministry in England, will take up the work of the church here. Mrs. Tonkin thus becomes the first woman to take charge of a church in this city, it is believed.

Under an arrangement that has been entered into both Victoria and Vancouver First Unitarian Churches are to be supplied by the taking over of the ministries by Mr. and Mrs. J. Buchanan Tonkin, both of whom are regularly ordained preachers of that denomination. While they will both be associated with the work in Vancouver, Mrs. Tonkin alone will have supervision over the work here.

Is Highly Recommended

Mrs. Tonkin comes to the city very highly recommended for her spirituality and her ability as a preacher to minister to the congregation of the First Unitarian Church. She has been brought up in the church, her father being a preacher of the gospel, acting as a London City missionary under the Baptist denomination.

Surrounded as she was by religious influences and associated with the work of raising the fallen and teaching them higher and better things, Mrs. Tonkin was ultimately attracted to the ministry herself. She, however, had before entering upon the study of theology with the design of becoming a preacher, embraced the doctrines of the Unitarian Church.

Studied at Oxford

She studied for the ministry at Manchester College, Oxford, graduating in 1923. Her husband is a graduate of the same college. Mrs. Tonkin played a very important part in connection with the Sunday School Summer School at Oxford in 1923. Following that her energies were centred for about a year in the up-building of the church at Dewsbury. The result of her ministry there was that the church passed from a very weak congregation into an active and prosperous one. Her work in this connection is very highly spoken of by the English heads of the church.

The local Unitarian Church is looking forward to a great uplifting of the work of the denomination as a result of the coming of Rev. Mrs. Tonkin to the city.

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Farmer Bleeds to Death

VEGREVILLE, Feb. 11.—An elderly Ruthenian farmer, Steve Simonovich, at Kaseland, near here, purchased an old-time shotgun at a sale, and finding it did not work, placed it in the stove to release the screws. No sooner had he done so and turned away than the gun went off and shot him. He was able to get upstairs and throw himself on a bed, but an artery had been severed, and he bled to death before aid could reach him.

Soviet Marriages

MOSCOW, Feb. 11.—Discussing proposed changes in the Soviet marriage code Madame Kollantay, Russia's woman Ambassador to Norway, suggests the creation of an "alimony fund" derived from direct taxation of all men in the country, out of which abandoned mothers and their babies may be supported.

Storm in Nova Scotia

HALIFAX, Feb. 11.—The southern portion of Nova Scotia yesterday suffered the most severe storm this Winter. While Halifax was visited to some extent, no damage was reported on either land or sea.

Big Fire in Saint John

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Feb. 11.—Fire early today gutted the retail dry goods building of F. W. Daniel Company and affected several other business houses in the vicinity. The loss is heavy

Japanese Will Ask For Use of Schools

Japanese children at Mission and Ocean Falls will receive part-time instruction from the Japanese teachers who arrived from Japan this week, according to dispatches received from the Mainland yesterday.

The Japanese residents of the two Mainland towns will apply to the school boards there for permission to use the public school buildings after regular school hours, it is stated.

As the school buildings are under the control of the trustees concerned, the Department of Education cannot prevent their use by the Japanese teachers, it was explained at the Parliament Buildings yesterday.

Going to England by Tourist III Cabin—Sailings for all principal lines are now announced. As there is only one rate in this class for all berths, intending passengers are advised to see us immediately in order that we can meet wishes in the matter of location. Canadian National Railways, 911 Government Street. Phone 1242.

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Olive or Lilac Toilet Soap, regular 5c, now 7 for 25¢	Libby's Rosedale Sliced Pineapple, reg. 35c tin for 25¢
Cowan's Cocoa, reg. 15c tin for 10¢	Hartley's Marmalade, regular 30c stone jar for 22¢
Blue Ribbon Baking Powder, regular 30c tin for 23¢	Saanich Loganberries, reg. 25c tin, 20¢
Whole Wheat or Graham Flour, 24-lb. sack $1.20	Finest Bran, 100-lb. sack $1.65
Mapleine, reg. 40c bottle for 32¢	St. James Pure Dried Mint, ½-lb. tin for 25¢
Solar Sliced Pineapple, gallon tin, reg. $1.25 for 75¢	1-lb. tin 45¢
Cooket, 1-lb. tin 25¢	Pealed Green Chillies, reg. 15c tin, 10¢
Clark's Tomato Soup, tin 10¢	Albert's Shaving Soap, cake 7¢
Wild Rice, reg. 95c lb. for 75¢	
10 lbs. B.C. Granulated Sugar and 5 lbs. Best White Beans for $1.00	1 lb. Fresh Coffee, 1 lb. Ceylon Pekoe Tea, 5 lbs. Best White Beans, all for $1.00
Dollar Princess Sardines, value 12½c for 9¢	Empress Vanilla or Lemon Extract, 8-oz. bottle, regular $1.00 for 85¢
Shelled Walnuts, finest halves, per lb. 40¢	O-Cedar Polish, reg. 50c bottle 38¢
Finest Dried Wrinkled Peas, 4 lbs. for 25¢	Oxo Cubes, small tin 10¢
	Large tin 22¢
Rowntree's Cocoa, ½-lb. tin 20c	Robin Hood Rolled Oats 7-lb. sack 35c
Huntley & Palmer's Tea Rusks, reg. 20c pkg. for 16¢	Valentine Mixed Candy, value 35c lb. for 27¢
Fresh Fruit Cake, lb. 27½¢	Soft Chocolates, lb. 25¢
Fresh Cherry Cake, reg. 45c lb. 35¢	Neilson's Jersey Milk Bar, each 4¢
Mint Bull's-Eyes, lb. 30¢	
Real Ginger Nuts, the small dainty size, regular 40c lb. for 30c	French Jelly Mixed Candy, regular 35c lb. for 22½c
Sweet Oranges, per dozen 19¢	Fresh Brussels Sprouts, 4 lbs. 25¢
Fresh Rhubarb, per lb. 16¢	Nice Juicy Lemons, per dozen 15¢
Bitter Oranges, for marmalade, per dozen 20¢	California Grapefruit, each 5¢
Layer Black Figs, regular 20c pkt. for 15¢	Large Navel Oranges, per doz. 35¢
Fresh Cranberries, per lb. 17¢	Fresh Chestnuts, per lb. 17¢
Good Baldwin Apples, per box $1.15	Fresh Mixed Nuts, 2 lbs. for 45¢
Good Local Potatoes, 17 lbs. 50¢	Shelled Peanuts, 2 lbs. for 25¢
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	Fresh Head Lettuce, per head 10¢
	Fresh Parsnips, 10 lbs. for 25¢
Mild Ontario Cheese, per lb. 27¢	Fletcher's Peameal Back Bacon (piece cut), per lb. 39¢
Imported Roquefort Cheese, lb. 50¢	Fletcher's Scottish Rolls (piece cut), per lb. 30¢
Kraft Cheese, per lb. 39¢	Sugar Cured Side Bacon (piece cut), per lb. 42¢
Or 5-lb. box $1.85	Cottage Rolls, per lb. 28¢
Peanut Butter, per lb. 17½¢	Picnic Hams, per lb. 30¢
Own container, per lb. 16¢	Cooked Ham, sliced, per lb. 50¢
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Cross-Rib Roasts, about 4 lbs. each, per lb., 20¢ and 17c	500 Lbs. Crate-Fattened Boiling Fowls, 3½ lbs. average, per lb. 27c
London Cut Roasts and Pot Roasts, per lb., 17¢ and 14c	Pork Shoulder Roasts, 4½ lbs. average, per lb., 24¢ and 19c
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City & District

Firm 1927 Convention—First of the conventions secured here in 1927 is that of the North Pacific Fairs Association, which met in Vancouver this week, and set its next annual meeting for Victoria.

First Violets Found—The first fragrant violets of the season were found on Saanich Hill on Wednesday by Wilfred Barker and Morris Allison, who live on the old West Saanich Road.

Y.W.C.A. Pageant—In the High School auditorium this evening the pageant "The Loom of Freedom" will be presented. The entertainment will be repeated tomorrow night. It is given under the Y.W.C.A.

Conservative Whist Drive—The Esquimalt Conservative Association is holding a whist drive in the Sailors' Club on Friday evening. The game will start at 8:30, and six good prizes will be given. Refreshments will be served by the committee.

Premier's Sister Dies—Premier Oliver's sister, Mrs. Sarah Bell, died at her home near Sudbury, Ontario, on Wednesday, following an illness of a week's duration. The late Mrs. Bell was about a year and a half younger than the Premier, who was advised of her death yesterday.

Judgment Reserved—Judgment was reserved yesterday in the action of Alliott vs. Alexander in the county court. The case is a suit against Lorenza Alexander for $900 fees in connection with a lumber transaction. Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., appeared for the defendant and Mr. Henry Hall, K.C., for the plaintiff.

Important Meeting—The Tuberculous Veterans' Association will hold a regular monthly meeting at the club quarters in the P. R. Brown Block on Monday at 7:30 p.m. Correspondence of the utmost importance and other business which requires urgent attention will be dealt with. An effort is being made to have a specially well-attended meeting.

Provinces to Co-operate—In the effort to secure further reductions in the freight rate on westbound grain and flour, British Columbia and Alberta will co-operate in presenting the case for the West before the Railway Board in Ottawa on February 16, according to an announcement of Mr. G. G. McGeer, British Columbia rate counsel, who left Vancouver for the East on Wednesday night.

Valuable Publicity—Announcement is made from Ottawa that the series of photographs which were taken of the splendid egg exhibit in connection with the B.C. Poultry Show at the Willows Park, in January, will be sent to all leading poultry journals with a request for publication. It is considered a notable event in the poultry world, hence the desire for the best publicity for the fine display.

Causerie Artistique—The "Causerie Artistique," to be conducted at Victoria College tomorrow evening by Mme. Hamer Jackson, of Vancouver, a member of the Women's Press Club, will be generously illustrated by good lantern slides showing some of the rare objects of art interest in France. The explanations of the pictures and the address will be in French, and all who are interested in French and who understand it are cordially invited to attend. The lecture is to be given under the auspices of l'Alliance Francaise, and those wishing further details should telephone 3738R2.

Store Street Depot—The retaining wall at the Store Street depot of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, which is to be built this year, will occupy the line of the present old timber trestle near the freight office. It will be practically on a direct line of the Johnson Street bridge, which is approached on a curve from Johnson Street. This gives an opportunity for station accommodation when the new depot is erected, as the company has already carried out considerable work on the north side of the property. This retaining wall is a necessity in order that the area behind now covered by trestling can be filled in when the new station comes to be built.

To Meet Next Thursday

The members of Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, will hold the next meeting on Thursday, Feb. 18, at 8 o'clock, at the Victoria Club Rooms, Campbell Building.

He was in a smallish way of business and his creditors were pressing him severely. So he wrote to one of them a follows:

"Dere Mister—I see you are asking for a cheque or cash to settle your account. If you want a cheque, I can send it at once. But if it's cash, you'll have to wait."

Alien Produce Flooding B.C., Commons Told

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fruit to the Canadian market. The home market was flooded with American produce and the Canadian farmer suffered.

Mr. Ealing produced a cheque for eighty-eight cents, which he said was the price paid to a British Columbia fruit grower for six crates of plums. The crates for the plums had cost this grower twenty cents each, so the net result was a loss of thirty-two cents on the transaction. The same thing applied to eggs. Foreign eggs were coming into Canada and taking the market away from the Canadian producer.

Mr. Ealing continued that the Government had advertised in England for immigrants guaranteeing five years' employment, while there were returned men in Canada who would be glad of five days' employment in a month.

Grain Shipments

Dr. O. B. Price, of Westmoreland, urged that shipment of Canadian grain via United States ports should cease. Freight rates in the Maritimes, he added, worked against the farmer and the lumberman.

J. E. Armstrong, of East Lambton, quoted figures to show that the trade treaties with France, Australia and New Zealand had not been in favor of Canada. He argued that the trade treaty had even worked against Canadian trade.

The only non-Conservative speech of the day was by A. W. Neill, Independent, Comox-Alberni. Mr. Neill declared that as a protest against delays he intended to vote not only against the Sutherland amendment but against any other amendment which might be presented.

The Opposition, Mr. Neill went on, had been given its opportunity to overthrow the Government and had failed. The important thing now was to get down to business.

Tides Damage Homes

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 11.—Unusually high tides prevailed along the Southern California coast today, doing damage to roads and beach homes. At Venice a concrete bulkhead that had withstood the breakers for twenty-five years, was battered down. Several homes were flooded. The ocean front boulevard at Hermosa Beach was under water tonight.

Alaska has a territory of 590,884 square miles, while the area of Texas is only 262,290 square miles.

UNDER THE CLOCK

City Hall Activities in Brief

Mayor J. Carl Pendray yesterday received from the Mayor of Montreal an invitation to attend the official ceremonies inaugurating the new City Hall in Montreal, which will take place on Monday.

The Public Works and Land Committees of the City Council will meet this afternoon at the City Hall to consider recommendations to make to the City Council at its next meeting on Monday night.

Permits issued by S. L. Wilson, city wiring inspector, include the following premises: 1236 Government Street, 20 Lotus Avenue, 3007 Fifth Street, 1727 Government Street, new wiring; 813 Government Street, 1214 Broad Street, additions; 1623 Government Street, 717 Fort Street, 1029 Douglas Street, temporary wiring for signs.

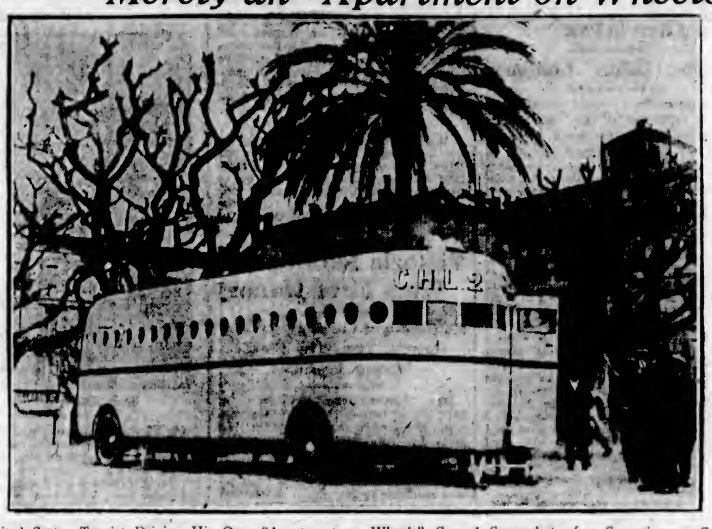
Red Plans Sold to British

LENINGRAD, Russia, Feb. 11.—At yesterday's session of the trial of forty-eight alleged Esthonian spies, an ex-Czarist officer, Nicholas Vladimirovich Paderha, testified that he had sold a plan of the organization of the Red Army to Colonel Frank, representing the British intelligence service, for $25,000.

Wu Wins Victory

HANKOW, China, Feb. 11.—General Wu Pei-Fu is reported to have won an important victory over the Kuominchun, or National People's army. He is said to have captured the station of Tengchiwan, cutting off the Honanese troops in Sinyangchow from their main body and disarming them.

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Mrs. Thos. Gilbert, Welland, Ont., writes:—"Some time ago I took a very severe cold, and it settled on my lungs.

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After I had taken a couple of doses I found that my cough was relieved and the pains were all gone, and by the time I had finished taking the whole bottle I was completely rid of my trouble.

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Lecture by Mrs. Adams Beck on Berengaria, wife of Richard I, at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, Wednesday, February 17, 3 p.m., under auspices Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E. Net proceeds for Solarium fund. Admission, 50c; tea, 25c.

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Spring cleaning time will soon be here; but it need have no terrors for you if you have the Hoover and its modern house-cleaning attachments. Phone 1670 and our representative will call.

Hundreds of Special Bargains for Friday Shoppers

Many of them special purchases offered to you at the same proportional savings at which they were secured from the manufacturers These, coupled with many lines taken from regular stock and marked at considerable reductions, will make today a particularly busy day in all departments. Shop early and get your full share of the bargains.

Manicuring Helps at Special Prices

See the Special Display of These Goods in Our Drug Department

Cutex Cuticle Remover, 35c value ..... 27¢
Melba Cuticle Remover, 35c value ..... 23¢
Nail Files and Knives, white handles; 35c value ..... 23¢
Nail File Combination Piece. Special at 16¢
Melba Manicure Outfit (5-piece). Special at $1.49
Flexible Nail Files, gilt; 60c value ..... 47¢
Flexible Nail Files, extra long ..... 43¢
Flexible Nail Files, 40c value ..... 29¢
Nail Files. Special, each ..... 16¢
Folding Nail Files, 35c value ..... 28¢
Mary Garden Nail Polish, 65c value ..... 47¢
Cutex Set, $1.00 value ..... 89¢
Orange Sticks, bundle of 6 for ..... 19¢
Cuticle Scissors, $1.00 values for ..... 83¢
Nail Clippers, special at ..... 29¢
Tweezers (special steel); all 50c values ..... 37¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Today's Bargains for Cigarette Smokers

Cigarette Holders, 95c value ..... 79¢
Cigarette Holders, $1.75 value $1.35
Cigarette Cases. Special at ..... 69¢
Cigarette Tobacco, 10c value ..... 2 for 16¢
Cigarette Papers (A. G.), 5 pkts. for 9¢
Cigarettes, 20c value ..... 2 pkts. for 29¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Flannelette Nightgowns, Special, $1.29

Good Quality White Flannelette, button front, V neck and long sleeves; others in slip-over style, with square neck and kimono sleeves. Values to $1.69. Friday Bargain $1.29

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Combinations Special, $1.79

"Harvey Make," in medium weight knit cotton, slightly fleeced, built-up shoulders or short sleeves and knee length. Values to $2.25. Friday Bargain, $1.79

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Girls' Raincapes, Value $2.50 for $1.79

Good quality Paramatta cloth, black and white checked lined hood. Shown in tan and navy. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Value $2.50. Friday Bargain $1.79

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Boys' or Girls' Ribbed All-Wool Hose

4-1-Ribbed All-Wool Hose, black only. These have diamond knees and reinforced heels and toes. Sizes 6 to 8. Regular 90c. Friday Bargain, per pair, 69¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

A Neckwear Bargain

Women's Fashionable Neckwear, including flannel, organdie and eyelet embroidered muslin collars, crepe de Chine novelty bows and string ties, in various colors. Values to 69c. Friday Bargain, 39¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Two Specials in the Notion Department

White Cotton Tape
In rolls containing five yards, assorted widths. Regular 8c and 10c. Friday Bargain, per roll ..... 5¢

Cotton Bias Tape
Six-yard lengths, all colors, also black and white. Friday Bargain, per packet 15¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Jewelry Values to $1.25 Clearing at 39c

This special offering consists of Earrings, Brooches, Manicure Pieces, Silk Fans, Bracelets, Necklets and Wrist Watch Bracelets. Values to $1.25. Friday Bargain ..... 39¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Three-in-One Shopping Bags

Regular $1.00; Special, 69c

Black Leatherette Shopping Bags, with double handles; may be used three different ways. Regular $1.00. Friday Bargain ..... 69¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Extraordinary Offering!



Women's and Misses'

New Coats For $9.95

Tailored in the new semi-fitting style, with set-in sleeves, notch collars and slit at back. They have double-breasted fronts, with side and breast pockets. Fashioned from cut velour, in shades of henna, chili, grey, sand, green and taupe. Sizes 16 to 38. Friday Bargain

$9.95

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Misses' New Tweed Frocks Special Bargain at $3.95

A very special purchase enables us to offer these new dresses at this remarkably low price—in the ordinary way they would sell at a very much higher figure. They are shown in smart tweed mixtures in useful shades of fawn, brown and green. Straightline styles with pleats at sides, small two-way collars and long sleeves with cuffs. Finished with colored braid and buttons and have patent leather belts in black or red; sizes 16 to 20. Friday Bargain $3.95

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Clearing Broken Assortments of Women's Cardigans

Wool Cardigans in heather mixtures and novelty designs, others in fine balbriggan knit. Also medium weight brushed wool in good styles; shown in brown, camel, navy and French blue. Values to $4.95. Friday Bargain $3.49

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Shoe Bargains

Black Gunmetal Calf and Tan Calf Oxfords
With welted soles, rubber tipped heels and new toe last. Ideal for business or college wear; sizes 2½ to 7. Friday Bargain, per pair $4.45

Street Oxfords and Brogues
Several styles to select from in fawn and grey suede, some with novelty trimmed patterns, medium and Cuban heels; sizes 3 to 7. Values to $9.50. Friday Bargain, per pair $5.45



—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Bleached Cotton Sheets

$2.69 a Pair

Made from pure and even woven cottons that can be relied on for satisfactory wear. Size 70 by 90. Friday Bargain, per pair $2.69

500 Yards of Bleached Sheeting

At 98c a Yard

Extra heavy round thread sheeting, strongly recommended for real hard wear and rough usage. 80 inches wide. Friday Bargain, per yard ..... 98¢

Bleached Damask Cloths

Special, $3.98

Made from pure, heavy flax yarns, and in attractive designs. Ideal for general use. Size 68 by 86. Friday Bargain $3.98

300 Yards of Unbleached Table Damask

At 79c a Yard

Just what you require for the breakfast table. Shown in the popular dice pattern and unequalled for sturdy wear. 54 inches wide. Friday Bargain, per yard ..... 79¢

Hemstitched Pillow Cases

89c a Pair

50 dozen to clear at this attractive price. Made up from pure snow-white cottons that will give full satisfaction in wear and launder well. 40 and 42-inch. Friday Bargain, per pair ..... 89¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

50 Dozen Colored Turkish Towels

At 69c Each

Close in texture and of splendid absorbent quality, these desirable towels will give the utmost in wear, and the colors are fast. Choice of blue, pink, mauve and white. Size 22 by 40. Friday Bargain, each ..... 69¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Art Needlework Specials

Unbleached Cotton Bib Aprons
With ties and pockets, stamped in easy and effective designs, practical size. Friday Bargain ..... 39¢

3-Piece Buffet Sets
Stamped on white needleweave; three easy designs for quick working. Friday Bargain ..... 29¢

—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

10 Per Cent Cash

Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

On these very attractive terms you may furnish a home complete, buy a whole Suite or just an odd piece of Furniture. You can also buy Rugs, Linoleums, Stoves, Crockery and certain other lines of Home Furnishings on the same advantageous terms. Talk it over with our salesmen.

For the Dining-Room



8-Piece Oak Dining-Room Suite
In dark Old English finish, consists of buffet with mirror, oblong extension table and set of six chairs with genuine leather slip seats. Sale Price, complete $97.50
$9.75 Down, Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

8-Piece Dining-Room Suite
In Queen Anne design, walnut finish, comprises 60-inch buffet, with full-length mirror in back; oblong 6-leg table, 44 by 54 when closed, and set of six chairs with genuine leather slip seats. Sale Price, complete. $159.00
$15.90 Down, Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

For the Bedroom

5-Piece Bedroom Suite
Consisting of dresser, chiffonier, vanity dressing table, bow-foot bed and bench to match. Well finished. Sale Price, complete $135.00
$13.50 Down, Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

Walnut Bedroom Suite
Genuine American Walnut Suite, including dresser, chiffrobe, vanity dressing table, bow-foot bed and cane seat bench. Sale Price, complete $198.50
$19.85 Down, Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

For the Living-Room

5-Piece Living-Room Suite
Including long settee, arm chair, arm rocker, Chesterfield table and upholstered bench, dark brown mohair covering. Sale Price, complete $149.00
$14.90 Down, Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

3-Piece Chesterfield Suite
Tapestry covered three-piece suite, made in our own workroom; has medium high backs, soft spring arms and deep spring seats, with loose spring cushions. Sale Price, complete $195.00
$19.50 Down, Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

For Breakfast-Room

Breakfast-Room Set
In ivory enamel finish, trimmed with blue. Consists of drop-leaf table and four bow-back Windsor chairs to match. Very attractive. Sale Price, complete $42.50
$4.25 Down, Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

Breakfast-Room Set
Consisting of gate-leg table in walnut finish, and four bow-back Windsor chairs, in very pleasing design. Price, complete $57.50
$5.75 Down, Balance in Nine Monthly Payments

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Buy Them on Our Easy Payment Plan—10% Cash, Balance in Nine Monthly Amounts

Superior Quality Wiltons
Best Grade Wilton Rugs, from English and Canadian factories. These are perfect in quality, design and colorings. Will give years of satisfactory wear.

Easy payments arranged if desired.

Size 6.9 by 9. Values to $45.00. Sale Price $36.50
Size 9 by 9. Values to $59.00. Sale Price $49.00
Size 9 by 10.6. Values to $67.50. Sale Price $57.50
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25 Axminster Hearthrugs at $7.50 Each
Ideal rugs for hall, hearth or bedside. Shown in new designs and pleasing colors. Size 36 by 63. 25 only to clear. Regular $9.50. Sale Price $7.50

Axminster Rugs
Heavy Quality Axminsters, in two sizes; mottled centres with attractive borders; splendid rugs for hard wear.

Size 4.6 by 7.6. Sale Price $12.50
Size 6.9 by 9. Sale Price $21.00

English Linoleums, 75c Per Sq. Yard
Extra good grade linoleum, in a full range of new designs, unequalled for hard wear. Regular 95c. Sale Price, per sq. yard ..... 75¢



Stair Oilcloth
Painted back stair cloth of first quality, 18 inches wide. Various designs to choose from. Sale Price, per yard ..... 35¢

Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs
This will be your only opportunity to buy Gold Seal rugs at special prices. They are shown in four beautiful designs. Every one perfect.

8 only, size 6 by 9. Sale Price $7.50
6 only, size 7.6 by 9. Sale Price $9.50
4 only, size 9 by 10.6. Sale Price $13.50
1 only, size 9 by 13.6. Sale Price $17.50
2 only, size 9 by 15. Sale Price $19.75

—3rd Floor, H.B.C.

Week-End Specials in Purity Groceries Provisions and Fresh Meats

Hudson's Bay Co. "Seal of Quality" Creamery Butter, per lb., 48¢
3 lbs. for $1.42
Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... 48¢
3 lbs. for $1.42
Finest Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... 46¢
3 lbs. for $1.35
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ..... 23¢
3 lbs. for ..... 65¢
Selected Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb. ..... 21¢
Selected Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb. ..... 31¢
Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, per lb. ..... 20¢
Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, per lb. ..... 30¢
Domestic Shortening, per lb., 18¢
Mild Ontario Cheese, per lb., 33¢
Local Goats' Milk Cheese. Special, per lb. ..... 38¢
Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per lb. ..... 58¢
Sliced Jellied Veal, per lb. ..... 40¢
Sliced Veal Loaf, per lb. ..... 40¢
Pressed Beef, sliced, per lb. ..... 45¢
Hudson's Bay Co. Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. ..... 55¢
3 lbs. for $1.60
Hudson's Bay Co. Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. ..... 65¢
3 lbs. for $1.90
Hudson's Bay Co. Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. ..... 45¢
Finest Quality B. C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack $1.29
MacIntosh Brand Pure Seville Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin 57¢
Choice White Beans, 4½ lbs. for ..... 25¢
Shirriff's Tru-Fruit Jelly Powders, all popular flavors represented; 4 packages for ..... 27¢

Fruit and Vegetables

Extra Fancy Okanagan Apples, 3 lbs. for ..... 25¢
California Sunkist Navel Oranges, per doz., 25¢, 35¢, 45¢, 50¢
Finest Quality Florida Grapefruit, each ..... 15¢, 20¢ and 25¢
California Grapefruit ..... 4 for 25¢
Fresh Local Rhubarb, per bundle for ..... 15¢
Cultivated Mushrooms, per ½-lb. tray ..... 50¢
Japanese Marmalade Oranges, per dozen ..... 20¢
Large Size Sunkist Lemons, per dozen ..... 30¢
Cape Cod Cranberries, 2 lbs. 35¢
Good Sound Cooking Onions, 10 lbs. for ..... 25¢
Local Table Carrots, 15 lbs. 25¢
Swede Turnips, 10 lbs. for ..... 25¢

Week-End Specials in the Meat Department

Stall-Fed Steer Beef

Thick Sirloins and Sirloin Tip, per lb. ..... 25¢
Porterhouse and T-Bone Roast, per lb. ..... 29¢
Prime Ribs Cut Short, lb., 25¢
Thick Standing Ribs, per lb. ..... 20¢
Rumps, Rounds and Aitch Bones, per lb. ..... 21¢
Cross Ribs, first cut; per lb., 18¢
Cross Ribs, second cut; lb., 15¢
Plate Beef, per lb. ..... 12½¢
Brisket, per lb. ..... 10¢

Local Grain-Fed Pork

Legs, whole; per lb. ..... 28¢
Fillets, 4 to 6 lbs.; per lb. ..... 32¢
Loins, 3 to 7 lbs.; per lb. ..... 35¢
Shank Side Shoulders, per lb., 22¢
Shoulder Butt, per lb. ..... 25¢
Side Pork, fresh or pickled, per lb. ..... 24¢
Imperial Pork Sausages, lb., 25¢

Choice Young Mutton

Legs, whole or half; per lb., 40¢
Loins, cut to suit, per lb ..... 40¢
Shoulders, whole or half; lb., 28¢

Veal

Legs, 10 to 14 lbs.; per lb. ..... 18¢
Fillets, 4 to 8 lbs.; per lb. ..... 28¢
Loins, cut to suit; per lb. ..... 25¢
Rumps, 5 to 7 lbs.; per lb. ..... 23¢
Shoulders, cut to suit; per lb., 18¢

Poultry

Alberta Turkeys, 8 to 10 lbs.; per lb. ..... 45¢
Geese, average 10 lbs.; lb., 33¢
Crate Fattened Chickens; per lb. ..... 42¢
Crate Fattened Fowls, per lb., 33¢

Fish

Spouse's Sable Fillets, per lb., 25¢
Spouse's Mild Kippers, 2 lbs. 25¢
Golden Ray Fillets, per lb. ..... 25¢
Maritime Finnan Haddies, lb., 20¢
Sugar Cured Corned Beef, per lb. ..... 15¢
Pickled Back Pork, nice and lean, boneless, for boiling. Per lb., 28¢

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Sale Offerings in Drapery Fabrics



Reversible Terry Cloth
This chenille-like fabric is printed on both sides, and may be used economically for side drapes. Values to $1.35. Sale Price, per yard 79c

Cretonnes
36-Inch Cretonnes, in rich colors and designs, used extensively for side drapes, cushion covers, loose covers, aprons, house dresses, etc. Values to $1.10. Sale Price, per yard 65c

Wool Art Serge
Heavy Quality English Wool Art Serge, for table covers, portiere curtains, etc. Shown in shades of blue, brown, green and red. 50 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard 98c

50-Inch Cretonnes
Best Quality Cretonnes, of particularly close weave. A nice assortment to choose from. Values to $1.85. Sale Price, per yard $1.25

—3rd Floor, H.B.C.

Home Furnishing Specials in Chinaware

100-Piece China Dinner Sets
In white and gold, with half gold handles. Regular $75.00. Sale Price, per set $35.95

100-Piece China Dinner Sets
In a cream band and conventional design of cream, pink and black. Sale Price, per set $37.50

Brown Rockingham Teapots
Six and eight-cup size, in dainty floral designs. Regular 79c and 89c. Sale Price, each ..... 65¢

English Semi-Porcelain Cups Only
In dainty band designs. Sale, 6 for 90¢

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Society and Women's Affairs

Joint Reception

Mrs. W. J. Sipprell and Mrs. A. R. McMinn were joint hostesses at a reception held at Metropolitan parsonage, Johnson Street, on Tuesday afternoon, Miss Thelma Sipprell assisting in receiving. Mrs. G. D. Christie assisted in the drawing-room and Mrs. W. E. Harper and Mrs. W. H. Ozard in the dining-room. The tea was presided over by Mrs. R. J. Robertson and Mrs. C. H. Walker, Mrs. S. G. Clemence and Mrs. C. P. Kinney. They were assisted in serving by Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. Berry, Miss E. Olson and Miss Winnifred Lee. Little Miss Fanny Hurst opennd the door for the guests. Daffodils, pussy willows and Oregon grape were used to decorate the reception rooms, and the tea table was centred with a large bowl of bronze tulips. Delightful music was furnished during the afternoon by Mrs. F. P. Stacey and Mrs. A. S. Lock.

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Bridge Hosts

Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Graham, McClure Street, were bridge hosts on Wednesday evening. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Crowe, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wilding, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Graham, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. M. Foote, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoard, Mr. and Mrs. Michaelis, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Crawford, Mrs. Duncan Ross, Mrs. F. McGregor and Dr. Keys.

Bridge and Mah Jong

The Native Daughters of British Columbia held a bridge and mah jong party on Tuesday evening at the Alexandra Club. Mrs. S. J. Stapledon was the convener, assisted by Mrs. R. A. C. Grant and Miss Eva Megs. The prizes were presented by Mrs. Dennis Harris and the winners were Mrs. M. Frith, Miss Blackenbach, Mrs. L. York, Mrs. Percy Raymond, Mrs. Harold Beckwith.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tyrell, 157 Beach Drive, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Hilda, to Mr. Oswald Corbett, youngest son of Mrs. Corbett, Glyn Farm, Colquitz, and of the late Mr. John N. Corbett, of Cotswolds, Cheltenham, England. The wedding will take place on March 17.

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Enjoyable Dance

Lake Hill Community Centre held an enjoyable dance on Wednesday evening, the music being supplied by Art Farey's orchestra. Supper was served by the ladies of the community. An old-time dance will be held on Wednesday, February 24, at 9 o'clock, and a card party on Monday, February 15, at 8:15 p.m.

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Bridge and Mah Jong Party

Mrs. A. Rithet, "Glaburn," Rockland Avenue, was hostess yesterday afternoon at a bridge and mah jong party. The guests were Mrs. J. O. Grahame, Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. Goulding Wilson, Mrs. Archer Martin, Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, Mrs. J. D. Hunter and Mrs. H. J. Adams.

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Receives Appointment

Mr. Chesley R. Kinney, formerly an engineer in the C. P. R. Company of this city, has recently completed his electrical course at the Coyne School of Chicago and has been appointed one of the assistant instructors of that institution.

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Buyer Returns From Trip

Miss Myra B. Cicero, millinery buyer for Hudson's Bay Company's Victoria store, has just returned from a buying trip which included New York, Montreal, Toronto and Chicago.

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Return to Vancouver

Mrs. Macdonnell returned to her home in Vancouver yesterday afternoon after spending the last two weeks in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Goward, York Place, Oak Bay.

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Leave Victoria

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and family, late of Genoa Bay, have left for their new home at New Westminster, after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Wallace's mother, Mrs. R. Strain, Walnut Street.

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Home From University

Miss Beryl Hyndman, who is a student at the Washington University, will spend the week-end with her parents, Major and Mrs. Hyndman, Granite Street.

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From Chemainus

Mr. and Mrs. John Long came down from Chemainus yesterday to attend the Press Ball and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Murray, Richardson Street.

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From Vancouver

Miss Mildred Clarke, of Vancouver will be the guest of Major and Mrs. Hyndman, Granite Street, for the Government House dance this evening.

To Seattle

Mrs. W. D. Mackay has returned to her home in Seattle after visiting her sister, Mrs. H. H. Rowley, and her mother, Mrs. Denmark, Joan Crescent.

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Leaves for Australia

Miss A. L. Lucas left on the R.M.S. Niagara for Sydney, Australia, where she will spend a few months visiting friends.

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Patient Recovers

The many friends of Mrs. H. W. Warren, 1524 Elford Street, will be pleased to hear she is progressing as a patient in the Jubilee Hospital.

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At Empress Hotel

Mrs. B. T. Rogers and her daughter, Mrs. Mischel Chernlavsky, of Vancouver, are visiting in the city and registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Visits Mother

Mrs. R. M. Taylor, of Vanderhoof, B.C., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Taylor, of the Coral Apartments.

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Tea Party

The Misses Mary and Margaret Campbell entertained at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at their home on Linden Avenue.

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From Vancouver

Among the Vancouver visitors at the James Bay Hotel are Miss H. Austin, Miss M. Honeyman and Mrs. L. Breadon.

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Home to Vancouver

After visiting her sister and mother, Mrs. H. H. Rowley and Mrs. Denmark, Mrs. W. McNutt has returned to her home in Vancouver.

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At James Bay Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. Allen, of this city, have taken up their residence at the James Bay Hotel for a few months.

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Visiting Mother

Mrs. Kenneth Harper, of Vancouver, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Rome, Moss Street, for a few weeks.

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From Cobble Hill

Mr. Stuart Macleod is down from Cobble Hill for a few days and is staying at the James Bay Hotel.

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Here From New Westminster

Mrs. Sibbald, of New Westminster, is a guest at the James Bay Hotel.



Canaries Sing in the Window of the Corner Flower Shop—St. Valentine Gives Bashful Youths and Modest Maidens a Chance to Speak Their Minds—New Spring Hats Arrive

Have you ever seen a boy in a canary cage? I did the other day when I was passing the Corner Flower Shop on Broad Street. But, as it happens, this particular cage is a very large one and has just been placed in the corner of one window. It is filled with canaries and finches and other little birds that flit about amid the boughs, and the reason the boy was inside was that he was trimming the branches. The case beautifies the window, and how happy the birds must be with the fragrance and the color of the flowers there!

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In Spencer's linen department they have some exquisite samples of fine hand-made lace, made in India, somewhat after the Irish crochet patterns, as delicate as congregated snow flakes and made into doilies and dainty tea cosy covers.

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And speaking of lace! What a lot of fancy Valentines there are about! The shop windows are positively blushing with red Valentines and indeed, the mottoes on some of them are designed to cause blushes of pleasure, if such a thing can happen in these enlightened and matter-of-fact days.

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There is a big display of greeting cards at Diggon's, on Government Street. So original, some of them, while the sweetly sentimental kind are well represented. In fact, there are a thousand ways of saying "I love you," all cleverly though: out by artists and rhymesters and all ready to hand for the bashful people who are not only afraid to say it, but prefer to send their declaration anonymously so as not to incriminate themselves. There's wisdom!

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Diggon's are just now preparing some beautiful examples of Denison's new crystalline bead work, the art of making which they will teach at special classes to be given in their new upstairs novelty department. They are using this work in the making of artistic lampshades and this is the manner of their fashioning: Strong wires are bent into the desired shape and covered neatly with fine handkerchief linen. Designs are then cut out of Denison's colored crepe paper, pasted on and varnished with a special solution, on to which is shaken coarse powdered glass that gives a scintillating, crystalline surface. The process is fascinating and the result is entirely lovely.

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Hibben's, too, have counters full of Valentines of every kind, as well as books and patterns to solve the problems of fancy costumes that are so often needed for this merry celebration of Cupid's Carnival.

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There are always energetic people who prefer to make their gifts to buying them ready-made from a shop, and for these people provision is being made at Macey's for the making of Valentines, as well as for table decorations and games. There are ready-made Valentines as well, in a wide assortment, both charming and comical.

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Two unusually lovely and valuable bits of oil color are waiting for purchasers in Joseph Sommer's Gift Shop, on Government Street. They are examples of the work of Jonnwold, the eminent Norwegian painter, whose work is to be seen in the Oslo Art Museum.

The artist's hand has turned one of the canvases into a glimpse of the Catskill Mountains, their intense blue softened in mist; the other is a sunlit Californian country scene, and both are glowing and pulsing with strength and color.

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Angus Campbell's shop is very much boarded up just at present. There is a pleasant air of mystery about the place and everyone is all agog to see what the result of all the hammering and shifting will be. Just a few more weeks and the bird will be hatched and Victoria will be proud in the possession of a shop with the most modern and beautiful inland windows it is possible to have. I have seen the plans for them, and to say that there is nothing like them in Victoria is saying almost nothing at all.

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The pleasures of shopping or sport or, in fact, any activity is so often spoiled through suffering from tired feet, a condition which is almost unavoidable, however good one's shoes may be, unless one's feet are in perfect condition or have corrective support.

In the Autumn I went to the B.C. Foot Hospital, 745 Yates Street, and had some special supports made and the benefit has been unbelievable. I was very interested to see the process by which each support is made to suit the individual foot and correct each fault. The shape of the foot is impressed on warm rubber, a plaster cast is made from the impression, and from this pattern a light support is made of canvas and leather.

I was most surprised when taken into a little private room, where all the plaster casts are kept for further reference, to find there imprints of the pedal extremities of numerous people well known in Victoria, more than 1,000 casts having been made within eight months.

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The new Spring clothes have already begun to creep in at Mallek's, on Douglas Street, and they include lovely tailored overcoats of fancy tweeds, the latest breath of fashion in the big metropolises, so I am told.

They are cut to follow gently the lines of the figure, with slight, but not obtrusive flares and they come in the most delightful soft shades, from russets and yellows, through greys to greens and blues, while the varied weaving of the cloth is in itself an outstanding characteristic.

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The newest hats, according to Mallek's, are most fascinating affairs, with a preference for the lovely, vital love-bird green, lipstick red and Joffre blue. All colors, however, are good this year, the color combination being the most important item. There is more hand embroidery on millinery than ever, while painting and stencilling, frequently accentuated by touches of bright gold, are in high favor.

Reminiscent of the cap of the French Republic is the new shape in hat crowns, known as the "Giglo" crown, which is achieved by a deep indentation causing an upward rolling fold at the top-back of the hat. The "tam" crown, too, is to be much seen this coming season, a reminder of the tam o' shanter of school days, with a tiny brim to add a dash of sophistication.

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What is Vitamin B? I'm sorry I can't answer the question exactly, except that I know it is supposed to be one of the most important vitamins in diet and that it is almost entirely eradicated from our food through modern cooking processes.

It is necessary, the dietitians say, to build up energy and it is to be found in its pleasantest form in that wonderful concentrated food, "Vegex," which is now being demonstrated at Spencer's, near the Broad Street entrance.

Vegex contains no animal matter, but is composed entirely of vegetables and is highly concentrated. It is used in the cooking of all kinds of foods, to which it adds the vitality that cooking takes away. Besides Vegex paste and cubes, there are the savory little almond-shaped tablets and the "Vita-Food," which is a chocolate-coated delicacy of great nutriment.

Vegex has been known in England by the name of Marmite for the last twenty years, but is only beginning to make its triumphant march through the kitchens of the new world.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont



Grey, which has not been fashionable for several seasons, has returned this Winter into its own.

We see numerous all-grey costumes, such as the grey coat above, worn with a hat of matching color. The woolen material is extremely soft and the banding is of grey squirrel.

The small hat is of fine grey felt with a cross of gunmetal ribbon placed flat against the front of the hat.

Women's Clubs and Societies

W.C.T.U. Meeting

Regular monthly business meeting of Central W.C.T.U. was held yesterday afternoon in the Y.W.C.A., the president, Mrs. A. E. Mitchell, in the chair. The usual routine of business done and plans for work was discussed. The yearly Frances Willard Memorial will meet on Thursday at the home of Mrs. William Grant at 3 o'clock.

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Educational Club

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Educational Club of the United Church will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Hembroff, 1625 Craigdarroch Road, at 2 o'clock. An address will be given by Miss Jeanette Cann, B.L., the subject to be "Shakespeare's Plays."

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Liberal Women's Forum

Hon. T. D. Pattullo will address the members of the Liberal Women's Forum this afternoon on "Some Phases of the Government's Policy." Ladies of ward five will act as hostesses, and there will be a musical programme.

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St. John's Guild

St. John's Guild will hold a Valentine tea and sale of home-made candy on Saturday at the home of Mrs. James Townsley, 636 Simcoe Street. A short musical programme has been arranged.

Brentwood Bay Concert

Brentwood Bay Concert Company is giving a cabaret in the West Saanich Women's Institute Hall, Brentwood, on Monday at 8:30 o'clock. A twelve-piece orchestra will be in attendance.

Mrs. R. B. McMicking Is Re-elected Regent

Lady Douglas Chapter Holds Annual Meeting at Victoria Club—Officers Elected

The members of the Lady Douglas Chapter, I. O. D. E., held their annual meeting yesterday afternoon at the Victoria Club, Campbell Building, with the regent, Mrs. R. B. McMicking, in the chair. Reports were read by Mrs. H. H. Smith, secretary; Mrs. J. D. McLean, treasurer; Mrs. Colin Cumming, Echoes secretary; and a short address was given by the regent. The treasurer announced that the sum of $27.85 had resulted from the sale of tickets for the Prince of Wales film. Mrs. Brown reported for the Soldiers' Comforts Committee and Mrs. Hayward for the project work in the schools, an exhibition of which will be given in the near future.

In recognition of her faithful services to the chapter Mrs. R. L. Phillips was presented with a life membership pin by Mrs. McMicking, Mrs. Phillips replying in a few words.

Two new members were welcomed into the chapter. Mrs. Sharpe and Mrs. Beeston, two members who have been away for some time, were also welcomed.

The election results were as follows: Honorary regents, Mrs. Dennis Harris, Mrs. Schofield and Mrs. F. H. Bullen; honorary vice-regents, Miss Crease, Lady McBride and Mrs. R. F. Green; regent, Mrs. McMicking; first vice-regent, Mrs. Chisholm; second vice-regent, Miss Gill; secretary, Mrs. Boyd; educational secretary, Mrs. E. C. Hayward; Echoes secretary, Mrs. Colin Cumming; treasurer, Mrs. Aish; standard bearer, Mrs. Sinnott.

The councillors are as follows: Mrs. Harold Grant, Mrs. Christie, Mrs. W. J. Goepel, Mrs. Suddaby, Mrs. Lang, Mrs. Vantreight, Miss Moore, Mrs. Marke, Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. McInnis.

Mrs. Sharpe consented to head the Soldiers' Graves Committee upon the retirement of Mrs. Walker.

The chapter's bridge party at the Victoria Club next Tuesday promises to be a great success, more than forty tables having already been reserved.

Scotch Concert Tuesday

At the Scotch concert to be held in St. Aidan's Hall, Mt. Tolmie, on Tuesday at 8 p.m., the following will take part: Pipe Major Donald Cameron, Messrs. Jennings and Taylor, Miss Wilkie, Mr. W. E. Farmer, Master Horace Dawson, Madge Wallace and Winnie White, Mr. James Walker, Mrs. Berwick, Mr. James Taylor, Mrs. Townsend and Mrs. Taylor.

Plans for Firemen's Ball Are Complete

Tonight is the night for the Firemen's ball. At 9 o'clock Charlie Hunt's orchestra will play for one of the most brilliant affairs of the social season. The scene is the Empress Hotel ballroom, and the fast sale of tickets assure the success of the ball from the standpoint of attendance. Supper will be served at 10:30 o'clock for the first sitting. The dancing commences at 8 and will end at 2.

Tickets still are obtainable at any of the city fire halls, or at the Empress Hotel, where the ball is to be held. A last minute rush on tickets is being met and the committee in charge urges that all those desirous of attending the function make an attempt to secure their tickets without delay.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be guest of honor with a Government House party.

The decoration committee has made a special effort on this occasion. Special attractions, by way of unique and unusual stunts, have been planned.

Young People Organize At Metropolitan Church

A special meeting inaugurating the Young People's Department of the Metropolitan United Church will be held in the Metropolitan schoolroom this evening at 7:25.

The new organization takes the place of the former Young People's Society and gives concrete expression to the principles and methods advocated by leaders in religious education for the co-ordination of young people's activities within the church and for the development of intelligent and effective Christian character which makes for virile citizenship. The organization is the first of its kind in Victoria, but has proved its value in one of the largest churches in Vancouver and elsewhere in Canada.

Four young people will speak at the meeting tomorrow evening on as many aspects of young people's work; honorary officers and members and representatives of the advisory committee will bring greetings to the young people in this new venture. The Sunday School orchestra will provide music. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Former Golf Champion To Wed Canadian Girl

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Jesse E. Sweetser, national amateur golf champion in 1923, and Miss Agnes Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Lewis, of Toronto, will be married in Bronxville tomorrow.

The betrothal became known when they applied for a licence.

Sweetser is twenty-three, and Miss Lewis is twenty. He was graduated from Yale in 1923, and is a bond salesman. The couple will spend a brief honeymoon in Bermuda.

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—The wedding of Miss Agnes Lewis, of Toronto, and Jesse Sweetser, former amateur golf champion of America, which takes place at New York tomorrow, was not contemplated two weeks ago, the bride's father, Adam L. Lewis, said before leaving this afternoon to attend the wedding. The wedding is a direct outcome of a romance of the links, for the golf star met his bride-to-be on the links of the Lambton Golf Club here, and when he returned to New York they kept up correspondence.

New Lieut.-Governor Sails for Canada Today

Mr. Randolph Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor designate, will sail from England for Canada today, Premier Oliver was advised yesterday of Mr. Bruce's plans in a telegram from Ottawa.

The broker was very sick and at times delirious. In one of his lucid moments he asked the nurse what the last reading had shown his temperature to be. "One hundred and one," she said. "Good," said the patient. "When it gets to 181½ sell."

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Former Minister Retires From British Parliament

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Right Hon. H. A. L. Fisher, Liberal member of the House of Commons for one of the two seats of the combined English universities, former Minister of Education, is retiring from Parliament. The Liberals of the constituency have nominated Prof. Ramsay Muir as their candidate in the next election.

The Red Lacquer Case

By PATRICIA WENTWORTH

CHAPTER II

At eleven o'clock the same evening M. Lasalle was writing a letter. The fire was dying down, but its bed of red hot ash glowed warmly. The three little windows on the farther side of the room were shut, hasped, and securely curtained. M. Lasalle held his writing pad upon his knee and wrote with a fountain pen. On the small table to his left, full in view, lay the lacquer case, open.

He was alone. Sally had gone to bed. For a while he could hear her moving to and fro, and during that time he wrote at furious speed, tearing off sheet after sheet and dropping them on the floor to his right. When the sounds ceased he stopped abruptly, his pen poised, his head a little on one side, listening. He remained like this for a long time, his face troubled, his free hand tapping restlessly on the arm of the chair. Once he took up the lacquer case, drew out the folded paper which it contained, and then after a pause during which he unfolded and refolded it several times, he put it back and pushed the case away from him sharply.

When he moved again it was to rise to his feet and gather up all those closely written pages. He crumpled them in one hand, and dropped them to the red embers where they smouldered for a moment, curling and blackening along their edges before they flared into flame. He watched the thin black ash fly up, starred with sparks. He watched it settle and whiten. Then he turned back to the chair, and wrote again very slowly.

Outside the wind was rising a little. As he paused between the laboured sentences he could hear it, and the sound seemed to add to the trouble in his face. At last he put what he had written into an envelope, addressed it, and, taking from his waistcoat pocket a battered remnant of violet sealing wax, he sealed the flap of the envelope in three places, pressing down the hot wax with an old-fashioned seal which kept odd company with a cheap, modern watch.

There were at least three violet stains upon Sally's lamp shade by the time he had finished, but at last the letter was well and truly sealed. He propped it against the stem of the lamp, and, for the last time, took up the crimson lacquer case.

When ten slow minutes had gone by, he went to the hearth and raked the fire out carefully. Then, setting the outer door ajar, he extinguished the lamp, and stood by it for a moment, waiting until he could see his way. He did not wish to wake Sally by stumbling over a stool or a chair.

As soon as the doorway showed its glimmer, he passed through it, locked the door on the outside, and with a jerk pushed the key under the door.

The moon was shining, and the wind was blowing. All the trees were moving, and their shadows, very black, made restless patterns upon Sally's red brick path and the white dusty road beyond.

M. Lasalle went out of the little wicket gate, and shut it carefully behind him.

He and Sally had walked that afternoon, and he followed the path which they had taken then. After half a mile he left the road for a path that crossed a stretch of moorland. The moon was very bright. It made strange twisted things of what in the daylight had been dead heather and yellowing bracken. The wind blew salt in his face, and the long grating sound of a rough tide that ebbs upon shingle came to his ears. It grew louder. The path rose. There were no trees now, only this empty place under the moon, and the double line where cliff met sea, and sea met sky. A lowering bank of clouds stretched upwards from the horizon and promised storm. No matter, since M. Lasalle had been lighted to his destination.

Twenty yards to the left of the path there was a black hole in the ground. Here, where he was standing now, Sally had stood with him that afternoon.

"They call it Smuggler's Leap," she said. "Everyone here believes that our great local smuggler, Long Tom Brown, dived into it to escape from the excitement who were hard after him. Anyhow, he was never seen or heard of again. Nothing that falls into the Smuggler's Leap is ever recovered. Of course they say it's bottomless."

M. Lasalle picked his way across the heather until he stood by the open mouth of the hole. Heather and gorse overhung it. A false step would be so very easy.

He stood looking down into impenetrable blackness.

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A person who makes no noise is not necessarily asleep. Sally was not asleep. Instead of getting into bed she put on a warm dressing gown, turned out her lamp, and curled up on the window seat to engage in the time-honored practice of gazing out into the moonlight.

She could see three elm-bordered fields rising on a gentle slope—background. For middle distance, Mrs. Molton's cottage across the road with its untidy front garden. Silly, hadn't even cut her lupins down, let alone her hollyhocks. Foreground—Sally's own neat plot with the row of standard roses on either side of the brick path.

Sally began to think about Fritzi. Horrid thing, that hand against the window. She knew just how it had happened. The abominable spying creature wanted to listen, and wanted to see. It was absolutely brainless of me to leave those curtains open. If he stood on the path he might see, but he couldn't hear much, even though the middle widow was a little open; and, of course, being an expert criminal, he wouldn't be such an idiot as to go and leave footprints on the border which I had just cleared and dug. I only wish he had. But, of course, if you're a mug at that sort of game you die young, or retire to prison. I expect he thought it an awful brain wave to lean across, with one hand on the glass, and his ear up against the open window. I think I convinced Fritzi when I actually showed him how it was done. And poor darling Fritzi holding a guttering candle all over me and my nice raked border, and looked dreadfully solemn and worried! Of course the creature must have heard everything. But, as I told Fritzi, he couldn't possibly have seen Fritzi showing me the spring, and me opening it. Thank goodness, Fritzi's nice humpy shoulder spoiled his little game as far as that was concerned. As I said to Fritzi, the only thing he got away with was the quite useful information that, if he did manage to pick Fritzi's pocket—can you pick a vest, for I'm sure that's where he keeps it?—he couldn't open that wretched case, or even try to, without flooding the whole show with acid—so that's that.

Sally nodded, and went on looking at the moonlight.

Odd for Fritzi to be so disturbed. Why couldn't he make up his mind one way or the other? A creature of quick, passionate impulses and swift decisions, she had never, in all her life, known what it was to hesitate before an emergency. If two ways lay before her, the question of which she should take would settle itself on the instant.

Sally stopped looking into the moonlight, pushed another cushion behind her shoulders, locked her arms about her knees, and stared vaguely into the soft dusk of her room.

Fritzi's talk had brought up the past very vividly. It was years, and years, and years since anyone had spoken to her of her engagement to Bill Armitage. She remembered now how frightfully proud she had been of being engaged at seventeen. It was simply too thrilling to have a diamond ring, and a man at your beck and call. And the rows—the excitement and fascination of them—till furious—Sally provoking, and then a delightful scene of reconciliation. Sally frowned and smiled at the recollection. Then Mrs. Vine-Stevens—Sally's mouth twisted a little, the headlong, passionate worship with which she had flung herself at the feet of the famous suffrage leader was just a little bitter to her now. She remembered Bill's "And where do I come in?" Poor old Bill, she wasn't sorry for him then, but now it hurt to remember how he looked when she stamped her foot and flared back at him: "You? Why should you count? You're not in the same street with her. You're not on the same side of the world. Why you can't even begin to understand how I feel about her!"

Yes, it hurt all right. Oh, bother Fritzi for stirring it all up like this.

It was whilst she was bothering Fritzi that M. Lasalle so cautiously shut the front door and pushed the key under the sill. Sally, seven years back in the past, heard nothing. The gate closed noiselessly. Even if she had been listening now, she would not have heard any footfall on a road where the dust lay three inches deep.

Sally went on thinking about Bill Armitage. Presently she dozed, and woke with a start. The wind beat against the window, full of rain. The night was black, and as cold as a seven-year-old love story.

Sally got stiffly to her feet, groped in the darkness, and lit a match.

"Heavens, it's three o'clock!" she said.

She blew out the match and tumbled into bed.

To Be Continued

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont



Yellow flat crepe, of the very supple, smooth variety, is the material chosen for the frock above. The same fabric, in a rich brown, forms the trimming touches.

Fine gold thread embroidery forms a simple design where the brown and yellow are joined.

Other two-piece models of this pattern might combine pink and raspberry or grey and cherry.

Love Songs of All Lands Is Theme Of Entertainment

A delightful entertainment of pantomime and song was given last night in the hall of the First United Church under the auspices of the Pas-a-pas Young Ladies' Bible Class.

A novel idea was carried out in the charming and characteristic tableaus illustrating the love songs of the different countries. These tableaus represented in turn the Highland Lassie, the Irish Colleen, the English Girl, the Spanish Girl, the Italian Girl, the Egyptian Princess, the Dutch Girl, the Gipsy, the Japanese Girl, the Indian Maid, the Burmu Girl, the College Girl, the Bride and others.

Incidental music was provided by the Onwego Orchestra and Mr John Smith was pianist.

The following cast took part: Mrs W. Wright, Phylis Morley, Doris McGregor, Mildred Camsusa, Ethel Mercer, Christine Wilson, May Warnock, Isabel Jackson, Madge McCallum, Mary Kiely, Ethel Brown, Florence McDougall, Jean Menzies, Annie Crawford, Winnie Ferriman, Isabel Grant, Mae Murie, Margaret Wilson, Carol Menzies, Ina Easton, May Thompson, D. Marcroft, Nonie Plows, Messrs. R. Morrison, L. Conyers, S. L. Saunders, R. Hardie, N. Peterson.

France Registers Twenty New Pacts With League

GENEVA, Feb. 10.—France registered twenty treaties with the League of Nations today, including one with Mexico, for settling the claims of French residents in Mexico to damages suffered in revolutionary disorders.

Greece Pays Interest

ATHENS, Feb. 10.—The Finance Minister yesterday ordered the payment in full of interest for 1925 on all Greece's old gold loans, under the authority of the commission of financial control. This is the first time interest has been paid on these loans since 1920.

Royal Society of St. George

The annual fancy dress ball of the Royal Society of St. George will be held on Monday in the K. of P. Hall, North Park Street. Dancing will be from 8.30 to 12:30 and prizes are offered for the best national character and comic costumes. Fancy dress is optional. Other games are being arranged for those who do not dance. Supper will be served in the dining hall. Tickets can be secured from Fletcher Brothers' music store or at the office of the secretary, 308 Pemberton Building.

Winter Mild in Alaska

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Feb. 10.—Unbroken mild weather is continuing in Interior Alaska. Barometric readings, clouded skies, and general atmospheric conditions spell stormless warmth. The scanty snow in the hills is causing miners to rush the movement of their equipment in anticipation of an early Spring.

HEROISM OF WOMEN

It may be the women in your own home who have to smile and make those around them comfortable and happy, while they themselves are racked with pain and misery caused by some woman's ailment about which they keep silent. Few men realize how common such heroism is. The best known remedy for this condition is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs. For over 50 years it has been making sick and ailing women well and strong. (Advt.)

Hundreds of Dancers Revel At Brilliant Press Club Ball

One of Season's Most Popular Dances Given by Members of Victoria Press Club at Empress Hotel—"Press Gang" Appears During Evening

Hundreds of dancers thronged the Empress Hotel ballroom and writing-room last evening at the Press Club Ball, joining in the fun and merriment, the dancing and the laughter.

The ballroom, in which Charlie Hunt's augmented and popular orchestra played all the latest dance hits and many of the old ones, responding to encore after encore, presented a gay and happy scene. The decorations were particularly effective, immense paper flowers arranged over the large chandeliers cast a pretty glow about the room, while the smaller lights round the room were covered with golden sunflowers. Tulips, daffodils and other Spring blossoms gave a charming floral effect, carried out in the colored paper, and daffodils and pussy willows were massed on the platform.

Perhaps the piece de resistance was the introduction of hundreds of multi-colored balloons, which were suspended at intervals between the chandeliers, which were released during the evening, adding a very attractive note of color.

Bert Zala's splendid orchestra in the writing-room drew many of the dancers. Supper was served in the dining-room, the catering being in the hands of the Empress Hotel management.

Characteristic of Press Club balls has been the introduction of a comic (?) paper entitled The Press Gang. This year it again made its appearance, carried in by five enthusiastic and cheery members looking like members of the Ku Klux Klan. As there was no charge for the amusing publication all copies were rapidly disposed of and much mirth resulted from the reading of its timely and topical "news-stories."

Large Crowd of Dancers

Among the many dancers were: Capt. and Mrs. T. Mathieson, Capt. and Mrs. S. Bloomfield, Mr. Merryfield, Miss Gladys Irving, Miss Wilma Carter (Vancouver), Mr. Jack Carey, Miss Dorothy Focken (Shanghai), Mr. Fred Focken (Shanghai), Major Gus Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. John Long, Dr. and Mrs. Grant, Mr. W. Merston, Mr. Beau Burdick, Mr. Norman, Miss M. Broley, Miss A. Lawrence, Miss E. Macdonald, Mr. L. Ferguson, Miss Menkus, Miss F. Martin, Mr. Lambert, Dr. and Mrs. McKeown, Mr. C. Walls, Mr. D. Hunter, Miss M. Stephenson, Miss D. Rolls, Mr. J. Speck, Mr. Russel Turner, Mr. and Mrs. P. Straker, Mr. Hewlett, Col. McGugan, Mr. B. Flett, Mr. W. Dawson, Mr. J. Pearson (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown, Captain Patton, Mr. Ross Wilson, Mr. Dick Wilson, Mr. Tommy Lampman, Mr. Walter Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. H. Faulkner (Shanghai), Mr. and Mrs. H. Moore, Miss Lottie Bowron, Mr. and Mrs. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Richards, Mr. Lawrence Johnson, Mr. Hector Goodacre, Mr. Peter Bell, Miss Ethel Windau, Mr. Harold McDonald, Mr. Pemberton, Mr. V. Gravlin, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. V. Wilkie, Mr. Norman, Mr. Wilbur Dawson, Miss Zelba Ormond, Mr. Bendrodt, Mr. Gravlin, Mr. and Mrs. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchison, Mr. Ken Drury, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Merriman, Miss Helen Goward, Mr. Gordon Paterson, Mr. B. C. Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sallcaay, Mr. John Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wills, Miss E. Haddow, Mr. and Mrs. T. Forriett, Mr. Hodgan, Miss Lily Focken (Shanghai), Miss Barbara Bullock-Webster, Mr. and Mrs. H. Maynard, Mr. Howard Bell, Mr. Gerald Sandy, Miss Patterson, Mr. Douglas Hunter, Miss Money, Mr. and Mrs. Chrow, Miss Dorothy Osborn, Mr. Murray, Dr. and Mrs. Richards, Miss Justa McKenna, Mr. Arthur Beasley, Miss Nelson, Mr. Jack Matson, Mr. Victor Wheatley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson, Miss Babs Bray, Mr. Harold Bray, Mr. Archie Wills, Mr. Robin Cran, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mr. Gordon Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Helmcken, Mr. and Mrs. Squire, Mr. and Mrs. Mahee, Mr. Hewitt, Miss Dorothy Officer, Mr. Bowden, Mr. Ted Carey, Mr. Erniey Money, Capt. Payton, Miss Heyland, Mrs. McConnan.

Recent Building Permits Issued Total $11,200

Building permits issued during the last few days, at the City Hall, include the following:

E. A. Stewart, corner of Simcoe and St. Andrew's Streets; for erection of five-roomed frame stucco dwelling at estimated cost of $2,600; contractor, P. E. Cowper.

M. G. Moore, 1082 Richmond Avenue for frame alterations for purpose of apartments, estimated cost $4,000; H. Catterall, contractor.

F. M. Little, 1606 Morrison Street; for construction of four-roomed, frame stucco dwelling, at estimated cost of $2,800; C. R. Reed, builder.

David Blythe, 1552 Morley Street; for erection of four-roomed dwelling, estimated cost $1,800.

Kingston Street Tennis Club; for additions to clubhouse.

Panama Hotel, Johnson Street; for new flooring for restaurant purposes.

The Rev. Henry Knox, of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, will preach tonight at 8 o'clock at the gospel service at the Strangers' Rest. The public is cordially invited.

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Hemmed Damask Tablecloths, size 56 x 56. Beautiful wearing quality for everyday use. Special, each $1.35
Pure Unbleached Irish Linen Table Damask, 60 inches wide. Regular $1.75. Sale Price, per yard $1.10
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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Fans Will Be Treated to Rare Old Battle Tonight

Portland Will Tackle Cougars in Fight for Supremacy —Second Berth at Stake—Lester Patrick and Cohorts Want to Turn Tables on Buds

Victoria pond fans will be treated to a rare old hockey spectacle tonight, at the Willows rink, when the Portlanders and Cougars clash in the battle for supremacy. The second berth in the league is at stake, and the winner of the scrap will for the time being hold second place undisputedly, and without any companions. Both teams are eager for the fracas, and determined to pull out with a victory. It will be a torrid game, and the whole town is keyed up over the mix. The fireworks will commence when Mickey Ion drops the puck in mid-ice promptly at 8:30 p.m.

Victorians will extend a generous welcome home to their pets this evening. When the local tribe skate on the Victoria ice for the first time since a fortnight ago, they will be cheered to the echo, and throughout tonight's game, they will be given every support required from the sidelines. Local rallbirds are more than gratified by the splendid work of the Cougars on the road trip, and mean to show their appreciation by being out in large numbers at the Willows this evening.

Lester Patrick, who returned with his men yesterday from their jaunt around the prairie and Coast cities, told The Colonist last night that his boys would be in the game every minute of the way tonight, and would strive hard to turn the tables on the Rosebuds. The Cougars are in fine condition in spite of the long spell of travelling which they have just experienced, and will be right on the job, battling vigorously from start to finish.

Lester Plays Tonight

Lester will jump into the game himself tonight, and should be a prominent factor in the tussle. The same Lester has won two out of the five contests played by the Cougars away from home, by netting the winning tally in both Calgary and Vancouver. He did not feel in condition to get into the scrap in Portland, but will be ready for this evening's entertainment, and hopes to contribute towards a licking for the visitors.

It is now two weeks since local fans have seen a hockey game at the Willows, and they propose turning out in great numbers to see this Portland-Victoria fight. These two teams have met six times this season, and they have split fifty-fifty on the victories. Tonight's match will, therefore, be hotly contested, as it appears likely that the third place in the play-offs will go to one or other of these clubs. It is a great finish to a successful hockey season, and all teams are eager for play-off posts.

Twice has Portland played here this season, and the Cougars won the first game, while the Buds walked off with the second. Both games were won by the odd goal. In fact, nearly all the pond exhibitions here this season have resulted in close scores.

Rosebuds Look Good

The Rosebuds have a nifty aggregation, and there's no doubt about it.



BOB TRAPP

Star defence man of the Portland team, who will be seen here tonight at the Willows against the Cougars. Local fans will recall that the last time Bob appeared here he scored two tallies against Victoria, and without doubt he hopes to do the very same thing tonight. But the Cougars propose keeping a close eye on him, and preventing him from becoming as dangerous this time as he was before.

either. Such stars as George Hay, Dick Irvin, MacCormick, Trapp and others are not to be reckoned lightly. The Portlannd boys have barrels of speed, and are dangerous at all stages of a match. In fact, they trimmed the Cougars on Wednesday night by making the score that tied the count, and the winning goal in the last three minutes of the engagement.

Lester and his crew are confident that they will be able to hold the invaders tonight. The Cougars have seven more games to play this season, and five of them are home matches, whereas Portland will perform nine more times, but only twice again in the Rose City Arena. Tickets for tonight's big attraction are going fast, and intending patrons should get their reservations at once at the hockey ticket office, 611 View Street. It should be a stellar competition tonight.

Boys' Naval Brigade Will Be Guests at Arena This Evening

THE Boys' Naval Brigade and their band will be the guests of the Willows Arena management at the Portland-Victoria game tonight. Prior to the game, and during the intermissions, the band will render selections.

Make Changes In Rugby Team

Several Alterations in Line-Up of Both England and Ireland for Saturday's Match

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The English international rugby fifteen that will meet Ireland on Saturday at Dublin shows several changes from that which drew with Wales at Cardiff on January 16. Some new blood has been infused into the team, but most of the veterans remain. H. C. Burton, Richmond, disappears from the right wing three-quarters position, his place being taken by Sir T. Devitt, of Cambridge University. Immediately in rear of the scrum J. S. R. Wotten, of the Harlequins, has been dropped and A. T. Young, of the Army, introduced. The pack sees two changes effected, the veteran W. G. E. Luddington, of Devonport Service, being absent and A. Robson, of Norther, also dropped. The newcomers are W. S. Tucker, Cambridge, and L. Haslett, Blackheath.

Ireland have made five alterations from the fifteen that defeated France in Belfast, although two of the men brought in for the Anglo-Irish game had been chosen against France and were unable to play. These were G. R. Beamish, of the Royal Air Force, and W. F. Browne, of the United Services.

J. Neil, of Instonians, and R. Gray, of Wesley, subbed for them against France. Two veterans in the international game have been let out, W. R. F. Collis, of King's College Hospital, and C. J. Cagney, of the London Irish, being missing from Saturday's line-up. C. T. Payne, North of Ireland, and C. Lynch, Wanderers, replace them. The fifth change has occurred in the intermediate line, where R. Hamilton, North of Ireland, has been dismissed and F. S. Hewitt, Instonians, restored.

Golf Simplified

By Charles (Chick) Evans, Jr.

The Universal Quality of Golf

We are so accustomed to hear of British, American and French golf that we are likely to forget that other countries have their golf courses and the game itself is yearly increasing in popularity.

I think we find it hard to believe that a cold country like Sweden, given up as we suppose to Winter sports, should have a deep and growing interest in golf and many good courses. Yet that is exactly what I am told in a letter which I have received from a friend in Sweden. Heretofore the Swedish courses have been but nine holes, but next year the first eighteen hole course will be built at Stockholm.

In Lund, famous for its university, a nine hole course has also been started. I have a strong prejudice in favor of nine hole courses, having begun my own game upon such a course. There is something very cosy and friendly about these little links. A well-kept nine hole course is much better than a badly kept one of eighteen holes.

The Scandinavian Golf Union has done much to make golf known and played in Scandinavian countries, and the annual championships are held in turn in the different countries, and they are generally prefaced with singles and foursome matches between the different clubs of the union.

The 1925 championship of the Scandinavian Golf Unign was held in midsummer on the links of the Falsterbo Golf Club in Southwest Sweden. It is a sandy seaside course with many holes of great interest.

Falsterbo is one of the oldest towns of Sweden and has a fine, modern hotel, Falsterbohus. This hotel is within a quarter of a mile of the course and it is prepared to make a traveler very comfortable. The European or American golfer will be well repaid by a trip to this interesting town where golf and good scenery and beautiful birds please both sight and hearing.

There were about forty entries from all the Scandinavian countries for the Winter championship. The event was won by Mr. Carl Tydbeck, who defeated Mr. W. G. Edstrand in the finals. Some very high-class golf was played, the winner's average being around 73. He is a member of the Falsterbo Golf Club, a sterling good player who will probably compete against the Americans at Muirfield, Scotland, in June.

Next year's tournament will be held at Götteborg Golf Club in Sweden. There will also be a competition for professionals.

It is very interesting to get this news from far-away Scandinavia, and I hope that it will encourage any traveler in Europe to try a little Scandinavian golf before he comes home.

Huddersfield Take Bad Jolt

Suffers Fifth Defeat of Season's League Play in Old Country Football

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Huddersfield Town, the leaders of the first division of the English League, were severely jolted this afternoon when they travelled to Blackburn and emerged at the wrong end of a two to one score. This was the fifth defeat suffered by the Yorkshiremen in this season's league play and, although it did not directly affect their present standing, it nevertheless hurt the morale of their supporters considerably. They continue to run with two games in hand over their nearest rivals, Sunderland. Huddersfield entertains Everton Saturday.

It is Sunderland's turn to take a chance with Manchester City and the game is scheduled for Sunderland.

One of the most interesting of Saturday's games is down for Highbury, when the Arsenal play host to Newcastle United. Another Midlands battle is down for decision when West Bromwich sideslip a little way to play Aston Villa.

Other scheduled engagements are: Sheffield United at Birmingham; Tottenham Hotspurs at Blackburn; Cardiff City at Bury; Notts County at Leicester; Burnley at Liverpool; Leeds United at Manchester United; and Bolton Wanderers at West Ham.

Prince Is Deeply Interested in Baseball

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The greetings of the Prince of Wales on the occasion of the National League dinner have just been received by President Heydler.

"I have been deeply interested in your national game for years," he wrote. "I would have been present on the occasion had it been possible."

Westminster Basketers To Tour in Interior

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 11.—Two Royal City basketball quintettes, Westminster Y.M.C.A. senior "A" men and Westminster "Y" senior girls, leave for the interior of British Columbia tonight, where each team plays two games. Both squads appear at Penticton on Friday night and at Kelowna on Saturday night.

Racing at Tijuana

TIJUANA, Mex., Feb. 11.—Results of racing here today follow:

First race, 3 1-2 furlongs: Kamakina, 111 (O'Brien), $20.80, $12.40, $6.40; Shasta Butte, 104 (Buck), $9, $6.60; Gubaidon, 107 (R. Peternel), $6.60. Time, :43 2-5.

Second race, 5 furlongs: El Mirasol, 98 (Edwards), $32, $12.40, $8. Dare, 110 (Renn), $7.40, $6. Midnight Belle, 108 (Haliburton), $8. Time, 1:02.

Third race, 6 furlongs: Brazon, 115 (Schaefer), $4.20, $2.80, $2.60. Sally's Hour, 115 (Kelsey), $2.40, $2.60. Supervisor, 117 (Crees), $1. Time, 1:14 3-5.

Fourth race, mile and 1-16: Chilliwack, 112 (Kurtsinger), $20.60, $10, $6.40. Escort, 104 (Ilexam), $12.20, $7.20. Bowsprit, 112 (Neal), $3. Time, 1:49 3-5.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs: Full of Fun, 110 (Buck), $32, $14, $8. Walter Deb, 108 (Crees), $7, $4.60. Trap Net, 113 (White), $8. Time, 1:29 4-5.

Sixth race, 4 1-2 furlongs: Miss Lester, 96 (R. Peternel), $7.80, $5.40, $4. Buck Pond, 107 (Wallis), $5.20, $3.80. Edmon, 107 (Edwards), $6.80. Time, :53 1-5.

Seventh race, 6 furlongs: Carlaris, 100 (Taylor), $13.40, $10, $8.40. Spic and Span, 102 (Jones), $14, $4.80. Moonraker, 107 (Smith), $3.20. Time, 1:12.

Eighth race, mile less 230 feet: Betty Maloney, 106 (White), $22.40, $8.80, $4.60. Coffield, 110 (Buck), $6.80, $3.20. Perhaps, 110 (Neal), $4.20. Time, 1:35 4-5.

Ninth race, mile and quarter: Shafe, 98 (Neal), $11.60, $4, $2.80. John Morrill, 111 (Paden), $3.20, $2.80. Hyanpom, 110 (Wallis), $3.80. Time, 2:08.

Overnight Entries

First race, three and a half furlongs—Eagle Wing, 107; Jane Dierks, 107; Lorrain C., 107; La Cometa, 111; Shasta Negra, 111; Shasta Gold, 115; Miss Rochester, 115; Bird Millman, 115.

Second race, six furlongs—Jersey Red, 91; Day Time, 101; Miss Emma G., 108; Etta D., 108; Marion North, 108; Full Moon, 108; Louvain, 108; Latisha, 108; Dare, 110; Captain Mac, 110; Nick Klein, 110; Julia Lee, 110, Vesper Bells, 113; Star Cloudy, 115; Blue Dale, 115; Little Phil, 94; Wrackline, 107; Little Reb, 98.

Third race, mile and one-eighth—Delhi Girl, 103; Gold Boy, 103; Krekzunas, 108; Politics, 108; The Desert, 108; Yoshimi, 108; Rouen, 108; Olds Eight, 108; Monopoly, 113; Polite, 113; Senator Dorian, 113; Planet, 114.

Fourth race, one mile—Zing, 108; Biddiedee, 108; Lasses White, 110, Brass Band, 110; Jay Roberts, 110; Apricot, 110; Brazos, 110; Bowsprit, 110; Bardalid, 110.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Shasta Boy, 98; La Belle, 104; Bob Harris, 106; Sly Fox, 108; Fullanti, 108, Smart Horse, 111; Dick Terpin, 111; Golden Red, 113.

Sixth race, five and a half furlongs—Kitty B., 98, Mary Deer, 106; Stamp, 108; Malacha, 111; New Pink, 113; Old Blue, 113; Pawnbroker, 114.

Seventh race, mile and seventy yards—Flicker, 97, Cleo's Rochester, 97; Adieu, 100; Caroline, 102; Lola Montez, 103; Spanish Star, 106.

Eighth race, six furlongs—Shasta Baily, 93; Broncho Girl, 96; Ronnie Gold, 96; Gordon Rouge, 99; Full of Fun, 104; Queen Bess, 105; Catharine Marrone, 107; Blue Bell, 108; Keala, 110; Cancellation, 110; Lawrence Manning, 110; Excuse Me, 115.

Ninth race, four and a half furlongs—Friend Joe, 99; Little Shasta, 100; Dolly Seth, 103; Miss Nantura, 103; Lavigne, 106; Full Point, 108; Serena, 108; Farnell, 108; Dell Evans, 112; Al Hotfoot, 115; Chopsticks, 118.

N.H.L. Goal-Getters

OTTAWA, Feb. 11. — With two-thirds of the 1925-'6 scheduled games in the National Hockey League already played, Nelson Stewart, playing with the Montreal Maroons, has the largest number of goals to his credit. Out of the sixty-one goals registered by his team to date, he personally scored twenty-four, and assisted in a number of others. The principal goal-getters in the N. H.L. follow: Nelson Stewart, Montreal, twenty-four; Howie Morenz, Canadiens, twenty; Carson Cooper, Boston, nineteen; Cy Denenney, Ottawa, seventeen; Billy Burch, New York, fifteen.

French Tennis Team Reaches New York

Americans Rallying Strongest Players to Regain Indoor Honors Lost Last Year

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Interest in the lawn tennis world, focused for several weeks on an anticipated meeting between Helen Wills and Suzanne Lenglen in Europe, was partly diverted to the national indoor championships here next week by the arrival yesterday of the French international team, Rene Lacoste, Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon.

More than fifty American players, including three former holders of the indoor title, will resist the attempt of the French stars to carry back the title, which passed from this country for the first time last year under the compelling stroke of Borotra. William T. Tilden, national outdoor champion; Vincent Richards, Olympic champion; and Francis T. Hunter, indoor title holder of 1922, will lead the American defence.

Make Draw for Ladies' Competition at Uplands

The draw for the ladies' hidden-hole competition, to be played at the Uplands golf course Saturday, is as follows:

Mrs. Geiger vs. Miss Maxwell; Mrs. Boyd vs. Miss M. S. Fraser; Mrs. Wilding vs. Mrs. Fairhairn; Mrs. Sanders vs. Mrs. Unsworth; Mrs. Nickson vs. Mrs. Price; Miss MacNaughton vs. Miss Wheeler; Mrs. Hepburn vs. Miss Hiscocks; Miss K. Fraser vs. Miss Cameron; Miss J. Angus vs. Mrs. P. B. Elliott; Miss M. E. Young vs. Miss D. Cass; Miss B. Wilson vs. Miss Wolfenden; Mrs. J. Cameron vs. Mrs. Hope; Miss M. E. Mills vs. Mrs. F. C. Elliott.

Mason Retains Title; Rice Is Disqualified

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Harry Mason, of Leeds, lightweight champion pugilist of Europe, retained his title tonight by defeating Ernie Rice. Rice was disqualified in the fifth round for low-hitting.

Mason was first to get going and, as usual, was very elusive, although Rice managed to land a couple of rights to the jaw.

In the third round Rice hit rather low, but the referee took no notice of it. Mason had the better of the two-handed fighting in the fourth, but in the fifth Rice rushed in and fouled so palpably that the referee stopped the contest and disqualified him.

City League Basketball

Local Teams All Win Against Invaders From Outside —Scores Are Rather One-Sided

All the local hoop teams came through with flying colors over their opponents from Sooke and Saanichton in the City League basketball games played at the Armories last night. The Sons of England took Sooke into camp in the "C" tussle by the score of 45-11, while the Onwegos, from the First Presbyterian United Church, accounted for Sooke's "A" team, coming out on the long end of a 30-24 score. The final encounter went to the local C.P.R. seniors, who handed Saanichton a 35-17 beating.

The most exciting game of the evening was the Onwegos-Sooke tussle. This game was featured throughout by fast combination and good shooting. The Firsts jumped into the lead shortly after the opening of play, and although they were closely pressed two or three times, they managed to hold their advantage until the end. In the opening period, the Church boys had much the better of the play, their combination being superior to that of their opponents.

Many Free Throws

In the first twenty minutes of play, Sooke registered no less than six points on free throws, while the locals were successful in accounting for two. At the rest period, the Onwegos were well away, having eighteen points to their credit, while the best Sooke could do was net the ball for eight.

Sooke took command of the game in the second stanza, and had their opponents sorely puzzled. C. George found his long lost shooting eye and began to burn the hoop with his shots. Gradually the invaders cut down the Firsts' lead, and it began to look as if Sooke was going to come through with flying colors. However, Bob Whyte and Gordie Sword saved the day for the greenshirts by their spectacular dribbling and shooting, so that when the whistle sounded for time they were six points to the good. G. Sword, of the Onwegos, was the star of the game, registering no less than eighteen points. C. George was high scorer for Sooke, having nine points to his credit. Tommy de Macedo refereed and the teams were:

Onwegos—Darbyshire, McCreadie, Crawford, Grant, Sword, Whyte, Stewart and Bell.

Sooke—Charters, Wright, Mugford, George, Pillar, Acremen and George.

Saanichton gave the league-leading C.P.R. team a hard run for their two points in the other class "A" fixture. The visitors fell down in their shooting, which was terribly weak. The railroaders excelled in combination, which was dazzling fast, and combined with the deadly shooting of their forwards, they proved a hard team to beat. In the opening stanza, Saanichton seemed to find difficulty in locating their stride, and in the meantime their opponents were running up the points, so that at half time the score board read: C.P.R. 14, Saanichton 6. The radshirts held their checks much better in the last period and managed to come within four points of the C.P.R. Brindley and Jones were high scorers of the game with ten points. Bob Whyte refereed, and the teams were:

C.P.R.—Brindley, Wachter, Moore, Dunn, Passmore and Jones.

Saanichton — Turgoose, Lannan, Fagerberg, Lannon, McNally and Turgoose.

Their Own Way

The Sons of England had everything their own way in their game with Sooke, and trampled on the visitors to the tune of 45-11. Never once throughout the whole game was Sooke dangerous. Gordie Woolridge refereed and the teams were:

Sons of England—Thomas, Stubbs, Gandy, Macedo, Hill, Latham and Sellers.

Sooke—Ewer, Paige, McIntosh, McKenzie, Baker, Pontious and George.

Bowden Is Winner Of Brigade Shoot

The 5th B.C. Coast Brigade of Canadian Artillery are entering into the spirit of rifle work with the same energy as they display in their own branch, the 55th Battery showing the lead with weekly spoon shoots held at the ranges in the Armouries. Major Kirkpatrick Crockett and Battery Sgt.-Major S. Bowden, commanding officer and senior N.C.O. of the 55th Battery, not being satisfied with winning the artillery championship of Canada, intend to annex the small-arms reputation if possible.

Spoon shoots will be the order each week for right and left half battery until the outdoor ranges are used, when they intend to take up the S.M.L.E. with the same energy displayed with the small calibre.

First shoot for spoons took place Wednesday, and resulted as follows, out of possible fifty:

Class A

B.S.M. Bowden, 50; Bdr. Simmonds, 47; Gr. White, 47; L.-Bdr. Hatcher, 46; Gr. Nesbitt, 46; Major K. Crockett, 45; Sgt. Llewellyn, 44. Winner of spoon in A Class, Battery Sgt.-Major S. Bowden.

Class B

Gr. Coulter, 47; L.-Sgt. Lofts, 46; B.Q.M.S. G. Bowden, 43; L.-Sgt. Elliott, 43; Gr. Love, 42; Gr. Fensham, 42; Gr. Parmitter, 39. Gr. Holmes, 33; Gr. Osborne, 33. Winner of spoon in B Class, Gunner Coulter.

Draw for Captain's Vs. Vice-Captain's Match at Uplands

The draw and starting times for the captain's versus vice-captain's team match to be palyed at the Uplands Golf Club Sunday morning are as follows:

9—J. B. Shaw and A. Lawrie vs. A. Sheret and R. Foulis.

9:05—E. H. M. Foot and F. H. Blashfield vs. A. W. Sheret and R. R. Taylor.

9:10—A. R. Ross and E. W. Hanbury vs. S. G. Peele and L. B. Trimen.

9:15—Gordon Ellis and L. C. Lytton vs. J. E. Lane and W. McCarter.

9:20—John Cameron and W. G. H. Firth vs. J. B. Lambert and A. E. James.

9:25—H. A. Stevenson and T. Thirkell vs. L. A. Austen-Leigh and H. W. Allan.

9:30—C. G. Banner and O. G. Leach vs. J. O. Cameron and L. Cumming.

9:35—A. D. Findlay and V. R. Gravlin vs. D. M. Gordon and W. A. R. Hadley.

9:40—W. H. M. Haldane and A. V. Price vs. A. F. Thomas and J. Bayldent.

9:45—R. B. Elliott and Jas. Ellis vs. W. F. Loveland and F. J. Leslie.

9:50—G. C. Baker and D. W. Campbell vs. S. J. Halls and G. S. Carr.

9:55—A. E. Hunnings and S. L. Feesey vs. L. Glazan and R. Peachey.

10—H. H. Brown and P. Linklater vs. J. P. Forde and F. Lewin.

10:05—W. Wilkie and B. H. Aaronson vs. A. B. Sanders and R. D. Travis.

10:10—W. G. Leith and R. L. Challoner vs. Geo. Pretty and P. Edmonds.

10:15—B. G. Robinson and A. J. C. Chiverall vs. Fred G. Fowkes and F. C. Dillabough.

10:20—S. C. Trerise and G. Macbeath vs. C. M. Westwood and J. F. Thompson.

10:25—W. E. Tapley and R. A. Playfair vs. W. Watson and M. R. Pearce.

10:30—J. R. Hibberson and F. H. Partridge vs. W. P. Unsworth and J. A. Oddy.

10:35—C. W. Gaiger and A. Inglis vs. J. H. McConnell and R. A. Semple.

10:40—A. C. Falk and H. F. Hepburn vs. C. Morrison and D. A. Macdonald.

Canadian Scottish Rifle Spoon Shoot Results

The Canadian Scottish are conducting a monthly spoon shoot in the miniature ranges at the Armories, eight cards allowed and the best four to count. The following are the scores for January:

Serg. D. Fyvie	100	98	98	98	394
Capt. MacKenzie	100	99	97	96	392
Pte. Herriot	96	96	96	94	382
Capt. Wallis	98	98	98	84	378
Cpl. Beaumont	97	94	93	93	377
Major Montieth	97	95	93	91	376

League Rifle Shooting

The units entered in the league will shoot the second half of the first league match in the Armories on Friday evening. Much satisfaction is being expressed in having the Navy enter a team. This now makes ten teams taking part in the league. The 170th Cadet Battalion and the Garrison will commence shooting on Friday at 7 p.m. sharp. The 11th C.M.G.B. and No. 2 Coy. C.A.S.C. at 7:45, and the Signal Coy. and Navy at 8:30. The standing of the teams will be published as soon as possible after the match.

Range officers for this week are Master Gunner Collings of the Garrison and Sgt.-Major Griffiths of the M.G. Corps.

A Drawn Battle

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 11.—A battle royal was fought on the links of the Vancouver Golf and Country Club yesterday afternoon when a foursome between Cecil Coville and C. H. Perkins, and Gordon S. Wismer and Dave Ayton, went to a tie when darkness terminated the argument.

Play was all square at the end of the 14th hole and, although five extra holes were played, the shot makers were still deadlocked.

Here's How Hockey Looks to New York

The New York Sun says on its editorial page as follows:

Hockey, the outstanding game of the present Winter in New York, is a combination of football, golf, soccer, prize-fighting, tong war and the last riot at Herrin, Illinois.

It is a crime wave on ice.

If one man dashes into another on a slippery street, knocks him down and bashes him between the eyes with a crooked stick it is unpremeditated assault. If one man dashes into another, knocks him down and bashes him between the eyes with a crooked stick in a rink it's first-class hockey.

Sporting enthusiasts who like their thrills served fresh every second and who consider any sport dull when any of the contestants are in an upright position have found what they ordered. Here, at last, is a game played while every contestant is in the act of falling through space.

It makes baseball seem like casual exercise prescribed by the doctor for old gentlemen with stiff joints. Beside it football looks like something thrown into the nursery to keep the children out of mischief.

Hockey as a game comes from the great open spaces of Canada, where men are ice hounds and women are fancy skaters. It is played between two teams of five men each, none of whom cares a thing about his physical future.

It is played with a small black rubber heel, the aim of each team being to deliver it into a cage guarded by a youth whose people evidently never gave him any good advice.

When it is time for a hockey game to begin the referee skates to the centre of the rink and blows a whistle. This is a signal to all physicians, nurses and internes to get ready for business. He then drops the rubber heel and flees for his life. The rubber heel is immediately battled for by the opposing teams on the theory of an eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth and a fracture for a fry at the goal cage. During the carnage the busiest individual in the arena is the goal-tender, who is dressed like the man in the Michelin tire advertisement, and who has to stop more missiles than the City of Rhiems stopped German shells.

After the end of the final period surgeons examine the goal-tenders. The game is awarded to the side whose goal-tender has the best chance of recovery.

Old Country Football

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Blackburn defeated Huddersfield 2-1 in a First Division, English Football Association game played today.

In a second round game of the Inter-hospitals Rugby Cup played today at Richmond, St. Thomas defeated University College 33-3.

Eagles Now Hard on Heels of Travelers In Bowling Standing

The United Commercial Travelers must look to their laurels. They dropped two games last night to the Eagles, who are now close on their heels in the league standing. Moore was rolling them in great form, being high man with 560. In the Commercial League Five Roses Flour took two games from the Eagles. Scores follow:

CITY LEAGUE

Eagles

W. Fairall	204	143	173	520
F. Moore	176	228	156	560
A. Potts	146	168	149	463
R. Bell	162	151	138	451
F. Miller	164	158	146	468
Totals	852	848	762	2463

U. C. T.

M. West	156	153	166	474
Malcolm	179	155	161	495
A. Wilcox	121	169	158	448
F. Handley	141	170	146	457
A. Falk	180	155	155	490
Totals	777	801	786	2364

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Eagles

W. Fairall	187	149	180	516
D. Neill	177	135	175	487
G. Foster	115	201	148	464
G. Lapp	136	133	136	404
Low score	123	131	115	369
Totals	738	748	754	2240

Five Roses Flour

Malcolm	256	191	160	607
Marshall	184	205	133	522
Henry	158	131	115	394
Humherstone	123	164	152	439
Hiscocks	143	160	177	480
Totals	864	861	737	2463

Canadian to Race in Dog Derby in Idaho

ASHTON, Idaho, Feb. 10.—Fifteen dog teams, a record number, will face the starter in the Dog Derby here February 22. In making this announcement today, J. G. Ball, president of the American Dog Derby Association, said a Canadian team, owned by James L. Brewster, of Banff, Alta., would be among the starters.

This team will be driven by Ike Mills, also of Banff, and its entry makes the contest, in which the American championship is at stake, International in character, for the second time.

Dates Arranged for Boxing Championships

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 11.—At a special meeting of the New Westminster Amateur Athletic Association definite dates were fixed for the Dominion boxing championship, April 21, 22 and 23. This conforms with the request of the East to allow no conflict with the Ontario and Quebec title events. It was decided to stage a preliminary affair the first week in March to give the contestants a good last workout.

Fulford Wins Basketball From James Islanders

Two basketball matches took place at the Fulford Harbor Hall on Saturday evening between the local ladies and local men of James Island. The results of each match was a win for Fulford, the ladies score being 14-14 and the men's 44-9. The teams were: Fulford, ladies, Mrs. E. Leweley, Misses Tilly Akerman, O. Rogers, J. Hepburn and Betty Shaw. James Island, ladies, Misses Lewis, Ford, Evans, Richard and Doran. Fulford, men, G. Hamilton, J. Akerman, A. Hepburn, W. Douglas and V. Douglas. James Island, men, E. Rivers, T. Isherwood, C. Ross, W. Crookale and Fred Morris.

Sportive Punches

—By the "Old 'Un"—

The Old 'Un has a great respect for MISS HELEN WILLS as a good sportswoman and a good tennis player (though not, be it well understood to the extent of backing her against the LENGLEN), but Miss Helen Wills as the innocent ingenue, horrified to think that anybody should want to commercialize a "game of tennis between two girls" strikes him as ridiculous.

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Being human she is probably tickled pink to realize that she is good enough a tennis player to have these things happen partly on her account.

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Being an "ex-co-ed." (if that is the right American for it), she must have seen or at least heard of the enormous "bowls" and "stadia" of American universities where people pay and pay largely to see contests which should be strictly amateur in such places if anywhere.

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And must know that all over the world people do pay to see amateur contests, do bet on amateur contests and do make money out of amateur contests (as much as they can, according to the importance or drawing power of such contests).

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And must also be well aware that in her own country there would be no hesitation about building extra seats in order to make extra money did there seem a chance to do so at an amateur sport event which arouses as much interest as her impending attempt to take Suzanne Lenglen's tennis scalp.

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WHICH AFTER ALL WE HAVE READ IN THE PAPERS IT SEEMS HARD TO BELIEVE WAS NOT THE PRIMARY OBJECT OF HER EUROPEAN VISIT.

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The friends who advised her to withdraw from the Carlton tournament and offer to meet Mademoiselle at a club where all takings would go to charity gave her very poor advice, which was promptly discounted by the American tennis authorities at home.

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It is not usual in these days so far as we have noticed for the "gates" taken at amateur events to be given to charity. Even in VICTORIA we do not do it. Why should we? WHY SHOULD THE FRENCHMEN?

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We suspect that it is mostly press agent stuff, and reminds us to some extent of the flood of press publicity material sent out about the American girl, whose name for the moment we forget, who was so certainly going to swim the English Channel last year—but DIDN'T.

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Except that in this case they do not seem quite so cocksure about the outcome of the event they are "smoking up" being what they would like it to be.

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It pays to advertise, but it does not pay to be too extravagant in your advertising language UNLESS YOU HAVE THE GOODS.

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Miss Wills must realize that GEORGE BERNARD SHAW was right when he complained that there are drawbacks to being a celebrity, but no doubt will realize just as well as he does that being a celebrity does not mean nothing but drawbacks.

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MISS WILLS is a celebrity. MISS LENGLEN is a greater one. Miss Wills is obviously and naturally anxious if possible to become the greater one herself by defeating Miss Lengien.

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AND THAT IS SOMETHING WHICH WE BELIEVE IS AT PRESENT MORE THAN SHE CAN MANAGE. And she must forgive us if we also join the horrid gamblers by having a little bet on the French lady. If we lose we promise to bear her no illwill whatever.

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And if she should at any time come to Victoria we'll venture to say they'll charge admission to see her play, and the Old 'Un for one will want a front seat and will be willing to pay for it

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Boys Slipping In Final Match

Woodward Has Piled Up Lead of Over 700 in Championship Billiards

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—Although Sid Boys of Vancouver made a fine showing in the elimination billiard matches in the West, even defeating the star, Jack McMillan, recently, he was dogged with poor fortune in the second day of the finals here for the Dominion championship under the Canadian English Billiard Association. The consequence was that A. P. Woodward, his Montreal opponent, piled up a lead of 718 points against him before the audiences which gathered afternoon and evening in Foresters' Hall, to watch the struggle.

During both matches of the day the Quebec and Eastern Canada champion was happy in the handling of his cue. He made three breaks of more than 100, and three others of good size, with the result that early in the evening he began to run away at his own gait. Boys, on the other hand, failed to find the balls in good humor, despite his marked talent on the green cloth. Woodward did some graceful work on more than one occasion, and out of the grand total of 5,000 points, for which the players are battling, he closed with 2,591, with 69 unfinished, as against 1,783 made by Boys. The high breaks of each for the day were: Woodward, 62, 65, 89, 102, 141, 153; Boys, 60, 61, 72, 78.

The matches go on tomorrow afternoon and evening.

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Four World Records Broken by Swimmers

Weismuller, Borg and Brainerd All Set New Marks to Shoot at in Chicago Meet

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Four world's swimming marks were made in the dual exhibition tank of the Illinois A.C. and Chicago A.A. last night.

Johnny Weismuller, I.A.C. star, clipped 4-5 seconds from his old mark of 1:59 1-5 for 200 yards in a 60-foot pool.

Arne Borg, I.A.C., middle distance swimmer, set a mark of 4:22 3-5 for 400 yards in a sixty-foot pool as against his former world's record of 4:29 2-5.

Gilbert Brainerd, of the C.A.A., in an effort to smash the 100 metres breast stroke record held by J. Farley of the I.A.C., splashed the first fifty yards in 29 seconds, two seconds less than Farley's mark.

A five-year-old record of 1:14 4-5, made by the I.A.C. in the 160-yard relay, was cut to 1:14 2-5 by the C.A.A.

Still Rains at Cannes; Tennis Again Postponed

CANNES, France, Feb. 11.—For the third successive day all the matches in the Carlton Hotel Lawn Tennis Tournament were postponed today because of rain.

Sooke Basketball

SOOKE, Feb. 10.—The results of the two basketball games played in Charter's Hall last Saturday night were: St. Andrew's 25, Sooke A, 35; St. Andrew's 26, Sooke B, 21.

Holmes refereed and the line-up was as follows:

St. Andrew's A—Dowds, Addie, S. Smith, McConnell, R. Smith, Brown.

Sooke A—Wright, E. George, B. Acreman, R. Acreman, Charters, Mugford, Pillar, H. George.

St. Andrew's B—Tripp, Brown, Bissell, R. Smith, Johnson, Paulson, McConnell.

Sooke B—R. Baker, W. Baker, Hewer, McIntosh, G. George, McKenzie.

Roller Hockey Results

Roller hockey league games played last night resulted as follows:

90 lb. class—Oaklands Eagles 5, Hill's Corner 2.

145 lb. class—V.I. Reds 9, 112th Battalion 5; Veterans 10, Eagles 3.

Games for Saturday night will be as follows:

90 lb. class—Fernwood Beavers vs. Hill's Corner.

110 lb. class—Foul Bay Monarchs vs. Willows Canucks.

145 lb. class—112th Battalion vs. Eagles.

Colwood Medal Winners

The winners in the ladies' monthly medal competition of the Colwood Golf and Country Club played yesterday were, in A class, Mrs. Burnes and Mrs. Pocock tied, and in B class, Miss Dorothy Schwengers.

Farmers Begin Spring Work

CALGARY, Feb. 10.—Farmers are beginning Spring work in the vicinity of Calgary. W. J. C. Madden, who farms a section near Calgary Junction, has begun to harrow his Summer fallow with a spring tooth harrow. Mr. Madden reports the harrow teeth sink three inches into the soil.

"And, mind this—no woman ever made a fool of me!" "Who did then, dear?"



A poet must have inspiration to create. But when I get an inspiration I am too drunk to write it down.—Jugend, Munich.

ROUNDING THIRD

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CHAPTER LX

"After This, They're All Strikes"

Tim Hurst was the most colorful of all umpires. He had courage, the spirit of adventure, the quick wit and the similarly quick temper of the Celt. He was a first-class umpire in every way, and although prone to make mistakes like the rest of us, he never tried to even up. If he called one wrong, he would not call another wrong to square things. An added wrong never made a right with him, as it does with so many umpires. He was never what is called a "homer," an umpire who will always favor the home team in the close decisions, and therefore stand well with the fans in every city. Tim called them as he saw them. You could always depend on him to give you what was coming to you away from home.

After you got to know Tim's traits and characteristics, you came to realize that he could not be bullied. Kicking got you nowhere with him. Here is an incident that will illustrate what I mean, an incident typical of Tim:

Detroit and Cleveland were playing in Cleveland. When Cleveland came to bat in the last half of the ninth, Detroit was leading by a 3 to 2 score. Cleveland got two men on bases with two out and Charlie Hickman was sent to bat for the pitcher. Bill Donovan, in the box for Detroit, handed Hickman a wide one and then shot a fast one by him. Hickman ignored the first ball and it was a sure strike. With the count one and one, Donovan crossed up Hickman by sending a fast one over the outside corner. Hickman did not offer. Hurst called it a strike. Hickman objected, saying:

"You dirty stiff, what'd you call a ball like that a strike for? You must have gone totally blind; you're too old to see anyway."

"Is that so, Charlie?" answered Tim. "I'm blind, am I? I'm too old to see, am I? Well, I'll tell you, Charlie, just for that everything he throws you after this will be a strike no matter how bad it is."

Charlie Schmidt, who was catching, took his hint from what Hurst said. He signalled for a pitchout. Donovan looked puzzled, but Schmidt repeated the signal for a pitchout. Donovan pitched the ball one foot wide of the plate.

"Strike three," yelled Tim as loud as he could yell. Hickman was struck out and the game was over.

Tim was game to the core. An incident happened in Pittsburgh that brought this out forcibly. He gave a decision about the seventh inning that displeased the crowd. Baltimore won the game and the Pittsburgh rooters blamed the defeat on Tim's decision. As the last out was made, the crowd swarmed on the field. The Baltimore players surrounded Tim and escorted



him to the clubhouse. To reach the locker rooms you had to go up a runway on the outside of the clubhouse. The crowd was packed around this runway and as Tim reached the top he was hit in the chest by a brick. Tim saw the brick leave a man's hand, and without a second's hesitation he leaped into the crowd to get the man that threw it. Tim's fists were both swinging, but he was no match for the crowd. He was knocked down, but before any serious damage could come to him, the police rescued Tim, saving his life.

Another demonstration of his nerve came one day in Cleveland. The Baltimore Orioles and the Cleveland Spiders were keen rivals in those days. They were playing a tight contest in Cleveland. Bill Hawke was pitching for Baltimore. Hawke had a fast dropping curve that few men ever hit after it broke. The curve was breaking good for him this day, right over the plate. Cleveland got a couple of men on in the home half of the ninth and seriously threatened Baltimore's one-run lead. Two were out when Patsy Tebeau, manager and first baseman of the Spiders, came to bat. Hawke tried to break a curve over the plate for the first strike. Tebeau, who had not been able to do a thing against Hawke all day, ran up this time and met the ball before it broke. He drove it over the left-fielder's head, sending in the two runs and apparently winning the game.

Wilbert Robinson, catching for Baltimore, appealed to Hurst as soon as the ball was hit. He told Tim that Tebeau had run two feet out of the batter's box and was automatically out. This was true and Hurst agreed.

"You're out," shrieked Hurst.

There was a great commotion. Everybody got into the argument. Hurst explained to Tebeau that he was out and told him why. The mob called for Tim's blood. There were demands that he be lynched.

Hurst yelled, "You're out, Tebeau, and you stay out. The game is over."

Turning, he started for the clubhouse, glaring in menacing manner to the right and left. Of all the howling mob none laid a hand on Hurst. They even opened a path for him and belligerently and defiantly Hurst marched to the clubhouse.

There are a great many more incidents in which Hurst figured. A few of them will be recalled in the next chapter.

Carpentier Signs To Fight in Cuba

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Georges Carpentier, of France, former light-heavyweight boxing champion, today signed with the United Promoters Corporation, of Havana, for a bout there the last week of February. His opponent has not been named. The Frenchman and a sparring partner will leave for Cuba next week.

British Bowlers Win

WELLINGTON, Feb. 11.—The team of British bowlers who are touring New Zealand, defeated the suburban club here yesterday by 168 to 146.



Ottawa Senators Beat the Irishmen

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—In one of the most spirited games of the local National Hockey League schedule this season, Ottawa Senators sent St. Patricks down to a 2 to 1 defeat here tonight. The strenuous style of game which both teams elected to employ detracted somewhat from the class of the game, but there was excitement aplenty, and the third period was full of high spots.

J.B.A.A. Rugby Team

The J.B.A.A. rugby team to meet the Oak Bay "Oaks" tomorrow afternoon at the Willows Park will be as follows: Campbell, Dickson, Huxtable, McConnell, Fraser, McLean, McMillan, Pendray, Frampton, Miller, McRae, Smith, Buller and Porteous.

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Farmer Fined and Jailed

SASKATOON, Feb. 11.—Charles Salisbury, Aberdeen district farmer, was today sentenced to six months in jail and fined $400 for grievously wounding E. C. Schindel, a neighbor, on Hallowe'en last year, in a quarrel over damage done at Salisbury's farm, allegedly by some of Schindel's relatives.

Hudson's Bay Company Opens an Emigration Office in London

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The Hudson's Bay Company is starting its own emigration scheme and has formed the Hudson's Bay Company Overseas Settlement, Ltd., with offices in the Trafalgar Building, Charing Cross. A register is being compiled of suitable homes in Canada for domestic servants and agricultural workers.

Soviet Moves Eskimos To Ward Off Extinction

VLADIVOSTOK, Feb. 11.—The Siberian revolutionary committee made arrangements yesterday to transfer the entire tribe of Aleuts inhabiting the Kommander Islands in Bering Sea to the Siberian mainland. They will be supplied with hunting equipment, clothing and food for one year. The Soviet Government has found that this race, which is a branch of the Eskimo family, is in danger of extinction because of the severe conditions of the island.

At the Playhouses

"Keeper of Bees" Attracts Crowds

Gene Stratton Porter's Masterpiece Proves Winner at the Columbia

The reason Gene Stratton Porter is the ranking novelist of the day in point of book sales and popularity with the public is proven conclusively by the F. B. O. production, "The Keeper of Bees," which may be seen at the Columbia Theatre for the last times today and tomorrow. Directed by the late Mrs. Porter's son-in-law, J. Leo Meehan, and with the famous novelist's granddaughter, Gene Stratton Monroe, taking one of the important roles in the cast, it might be said to be a thoroughly Porteresque production; and it proves a corking picture! The warmth, sentiment, and wholesome philosophy of the novel all imbue the picture with an aura which cannot but make it one of the most successful movies of the year.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Delightfully amusing is "Whose Wife Is She?" the strong Playhouse stage offering this week. Big crowds have seen this great show of laughs, and they have been unanimous in their praise of the fine performance of the Hincks Players. The entertainment is snappy and bright, and the production is bound to please even the most critical. The screen feature, "Bobbed Hair," provides thrills that come once in a lifetime. It is a merry tale of love and locks.

CAPITOL THEATRE Virginia Madison, who plays the mother of Alice Calhoun in "The Everlasting Whisper," the latest Tom Mix picture, now at the Capitol Theatre, is used to the job. Miss Madison had the same maternal responsibilities in "Pampered Youth," in which Miss Calhoun was starred. Others in the cast are Robert Cain, George Berrell, Walter James, Karl Dane and Sid Jordan. The picture is an adaptation of Jackson Gregory's novel.

COLISEUM THEATRE A great picture, "Life's Greatest Game," founded on the game of baseball, yet deftly linking up a vivid portrayal of that memorable disaster, the sinking of the Titanic on the screen, and a riotous comic opera, "Erminie," presented with all the skill of the stock company, makes a record breaking programme at the Coliseum this week.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—Tom Mix in "The Everlasting Whisper."

Columbia—"The Keeper of the Bees," by Gene Stratton Porter.

Dominion—Richard Dix in "The Vanishing American."

The Stage

Coliseum—"Erminie."

Playhouse—"Whose Wife Is She?"

Capitol Offers Three Prizes for Writers of "Ads" With Big Pull

The Capitol Theatre management are conducting a novel contest in connection with the showing next week of the English comedienne, Betty Balfour, in "Satan's Sister." They are offering three prizes, the first being $3, the second $2 and the third $1 to the three moving picture fans who can write the most striking advertisement, advertising this attraction. The space to be used must not be more than four inches wide and three inches deep. To those who enter this competition it might be advisable to give a few hints as to what is required. The advertisement should be as striking as possible, so as to cause it to be read by the newspaper readers; it should also convey some idea as to what the picture is about in a few words.

Great Belgian Organist Acclaimed by Critics Throughout His Tour

Charles M. Courboin, the famous Belgian-American organist, now on a second transatlantic tour, is to include this city in his itinerary, appearing at the organ of the Metropolitan Church on Monday evening, February 15, at 8:30 o'clock. Music lovers of this city will be interested in hearing the man who has been acclaimed by the greatest critics of two continents as a virtuoso of the first magnitude and by his own profession as an interpreter without parallel. Transcriptions of famous works from all phases of music are a feature of M. Courboin's programme. He believes that the modern organ is so rich in orchestral possibilities that it should serve a larger purpose than that of organ literature alone, an opinion which has been amply justified by his great success in programme making and in his ability to make the organ appeal instantly to all classes of music lovers. Under his magic fingers it is said that the organ becomes a living instrument, and his audiences everywhere acclaim his playing with emotional enthusiasm.

Conditions in Antipodes Are Reviewed Here

Mr. David Hazel, of London, Tells Clubmen Labor Has Upper Hand in Australia at Present

Strikes Occur Frequently

A comprehensive review of present-day conditions in Australia and New Zealand were given yesterday to members of the Rotary Club by Mr. David Hazel, of London, at the weekly luncheon of the organization in the Empress Hotel ballroom. Very different were the state of affairs in Australia in comparison with New Zealand.

Mr. Hazel pointed out that the Federal Government in Australia was extremely limited in its functions, most of the executive authority being vested in the various state governmental administrations.

"Strikes are of frequent occurrence and are brought about for the most trivial causes. In these labor questions, labor seems to have the upper hand completely. The great victory of Premier Bruce in the Federal elections was of little value so long as the various State governments oppose the Central government. There will have to be some changes in the constitution before things are better," said Mr. Hazel.

Australia Supports Protection

The speaker pointed out that Australia strongly supported protection, the tariff being so high as to be prohibitive to Old Country manufacturers of many lines of goods. As a result, congestion of population in the larger cities with industries was growing a serious problem to the disadvantage of the hinterland.

The United States now sends to Australia $200,000,000 worth of products, while importing but $30,000,000 worth of Australian goods. The United States was growing very strong commercially in its relations with Australia, he declared.

Mr. Hazel said that conditions in New Zealand were far more favorable to the Mother Country. Eighty-five per cent of her products were sent to England and so long as that condition exists New Zealand appeared willing to buy the bulk of her manufactures from Britain.

Tradesmen's Class Prosperous

The speaker asserted that both in Australia and New Zealand the tradesmen's class was prosperous, the few department stores being far smaller than those in Canada. The hotels were described as fair, while the newspapers adopted, he said, a more restrained method of displaying the news of the day.

Rotarian Percy Watson told the gathering of the interservice clubs indoor picnic held this week at the Y.M.C.A. The Rotary Club relieved the Gyros of the Service Clubs Trophy, competed for each year by the various service clubs in the city.

Dr. W. M. Carr, radiologist at the Jubilee Hospital, was welcomed into the Rotary ranks.

Messrs. Ivan W. Awde and D. E. Sprange were elected members of the Victoria Rotary Club.

Miss Lottie Bowron, former president of the Kumtuks Club, was one of the guests present at the luncheon.

Saanich School Board Prepares 1926 Estimates

Extraordinary Expenditure of $4,500 Will Be Asked for—Miss Kate McRae Appointed School Nurse

Ordinary expenses as prepared by the Saanich School Board in its preliminary estimates will amount to $121,400, while extraordinary estimates of $4,500 will be submitted to the Council for approval, it was decided at the School Board meeting held in the Municipal Hall Wednesday night, but which did not finish until the early hours of yesterday morning.

Government grants and other revenues to the amount of $45,900 are expected by the board, leaving the sum of $80,000 to be provided by the ratepayers. Salaries of teaching staff were set at $66,000. An increase of $2,000 is expected in High School charges.

The application of Miss Kate McRae, of Cedar Hill Road, for school nurse was unanimously accepted from two other applications. Her salary will be $1,500 and she is to provide transportation for her work among the pupils.

Dental work will be carried out at the various schools as soon as possible. The trustees will ask the health and morals committee to transfer to the School Board ownership of the dental chair. Dr. Youlden, school dentist, suggested the use of a portable chair.

Spain Rejoices Over Success of Aviators

MADRID, Feb. 11.—While Commander Franco and his three fellow aviators were making history, his countrymen gave themselves up to rejoicings. The centre of the festivities was at Malaga, where King Alfonso and Queen Victoria and Premier Primo de Rivera and his cabinet had journeyed to welcome soldiers homecoming from Morocco. When the King learned of the safe arrival of the aviators at Buenos Aires he immediately pardoned a soldier sentenced to death, and granted amnesty to all convicts serving less than six months. Women prisoners also received a reduction of ten per cent of their sentence.

Alberta Weather

CALGARY, Feb. 11.—Rain and light snow were general on Thursday morning from as far north as Red Deer to the International boundary and east to Medicine Hat. High temperatures, however, continue.

Suspend Hotel Licence

VANCOUVER, Feb. 11.—Based on information to the effect that the management of the Grand Union Hotel failed to close the premises at the proper hour, official notification has been received by the local authorities from Victoria that the licence of the premises was "indefinitely suspended."

Virtuoso Back From Europe



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Valentino Will Be Seen Here Monday In Role of Russian

"The Eagle," in which Rudolph Valentino will be seen at the Dominion Theatre, beginning Monday, will present the star for the first time in the role of a Russian. In view of the popularity he has given to romantic Latin types it will be interesting to see if he will raise the Slav to the same public esteem.

"The Eagle" is said to be a distinct departure for Valentino in other respects also. The story has more action and also more comedy than any other in which he has appeared. The star will be seen first as a handsome Cossack lieutenant, then later as a swift, mysterious, adventurous bandit, whose exploits thrill all Russia. It is from this the character derives the name of the Eagle). For a while he masquerades as a French tutor in order to enter the home of his mortal enemy.

DOMINION THEATRE Richard Dix, who plays the role of the Indian hero in Paramount's "The Vanishing American," filmed in Arizona on the Navajo reservation, and now showing at the Dominion Theatre, has given up the idea of learning the Navajo language. At first it appeared to him that the language consisting of three grunts and a sneeze, but inquiry showed there are more than 5,000 words, all as easy to acquire as Chinese.

Could You Draw Up a Motion Picture Advertisement?

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Dr. Charles V. Piper, Botanist of U.S. Department of Agriculture, in Critical Condition

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 11.—Dr. Charles V. Piper, native of Victoria, B.C., botanist of the United States Department of Agriculture and a nationally known expert on grasses, is in a critical condition in Emergency Hospital here.

Dr. Piper suffered an attack of paralysis Monday while at work and was taken to hospital the following day.

His wife and several of his associates were at his bedside today.

Dr. Piper was born fifty-eight years ago in Victoria. He was a graduate of the University of Washington and of Harvard College and has been engaged in the study of grasses at the Department of Agriculture since 1903.

He is the author of numerous works on Botany, a member of various scientific bodies and president of the Green's section of the United States Gold Association.

Vesuvius in Eruption While Covered in Snow



During Recent Storms in Italy, Vesuvius, Then in a State of Abnormal Activity, Was Covered With Snow for the First Time in Many Years. The Above Photograph Shows Dense Clouds of Smoke Rolling From the Mouth of the Snow-Covered Crater.

Conservatives of Ward Two Elect

Mr. A. R. Sheerwood Chosen President and Mr. Nesbitt Vice-President

At a well attended meeting of Saanich Ward Two Conservatives held in the Tolmie School last night, officers for the ensuing year were elected. Mr. A. R. Sherwood was elected president; Mr. Nesbitt, vice-president, and Mr. Harry Tolmie, second vice-president.

The new secretary-treasurer is Mr. Sparke, and his assistant Mr. Scutt. The following members were elected to the executive: Mr. H. Kingham, Mr. and Mrs. Toms, Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby, Mr. and Mrs. Holdcroft, Mr. and Mrs. Watson, Miss Grant, Mr. Ewe, Mr. and Mrs. Newcombe, Mr. and Mrs. Sparks, Mr. Connorton, Mr. Brogan, Mr. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. Paterson, Mr. and Mrs. Belcher, Mr. Mellor, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Mothershad, Mr. Butt, Mr. C. Stewart, Mr. Martyn, Mr. Mance, Mr. Freeman, Mr. Price, Mr. Flowers, Mr. Ferryman, Mr. Currie, Mr. Bainbridge, Mr. Moss and Mr. Seeger.

Divorcees Marry

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The Earl of Essex, who was divorced last July, was married in St. Alban's yesterday to Mrs. Alis Scott Brown. The new Countess is a descendant of a noble Irish family and is also a divorcee.

Emanuel Jackson, mule tender, appeared one morning on crutches.

"Lawsy!" exclaimed a friend, "Ah thought yo' was one o' de ben' mule han'lers in de business."

"So Ah is," affirmed Emanuel proudly, "but we done got a mule in dis mornin' dat didn't know mah reputation."

Customs Exposure Feared, Ottawa Inquiry Indicates

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indignation at the treatment they have received from the Government. They have been driven from Quebec for political reasons; their work in suppressing smuggling and the narcotic drug trade nullified by the refusal of the Government to prosecute or permit them to prosecute; and they feel that failure to carry out duties, due entirely to Government laxity and hostility, has reflected on them.

So far the efforts of the Committee have been to secure official records in confirmation of their charges. This is exceedingly difficult as the retiring Minister took with him nine large cases of documents. The present Minister has admitted that he has to write to his predecessor, Hon. Jacques Bureau, for documents.

An amusing attempt was made today to disparage the evidence to be given by R. P. Sparks, representative of the Commercial Protective Association. A letter was read from the "Montreal Protective Association" denying Mr. Sparks' right to speak for them. The letter, on examination, was found to be from a small Montreal group, banded together to insure themselves against theft and with no connection with the Commercial Protective Association, which represents eighty per cent of the commercial interests of Canada.

Mr. Farrow will be on the stand again tomorrow, but the evidence of great public interest will begin Tuesday.

Montreal Affairs Probed

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—Interest in the proceedings of the Commons Committee investigating the conduct of the Customs Department centred today in the question of inspection of the Port of Montreal.

R. R. Farrow, Deputy Minister of Customs, admitted that in 1922 he conveyed to Chief Inspector of Customs Edward Busby the decision of the then Minister of Customs that Mr. Busby should not inspect the Port of Montreal. No reason was given for the removal of Montreal from Mr. Busby's jurisdiction.

When the appointment of R. P. Clerk, the present head of the Montreal district, came up, Hon. H. H. Stevens sharply questioned the Deputy Minister as to Mr. Clerk's qualifications for the post. A dramatic moment came when Mr. Stevens asked for Mr. Farrow's private opinion of Mr. Clerk's appointment.

Would Rather Not Answer

After some hesitation Mr. Farrow replied that he did not care to answer. The appointment of Mr. Clerk had been made by the Civil Service Commission on recommendation of the Department, and Mr. Clerk at that time was the best candidate available for the position, considering that bilingual attainments was one of the essential qualifications.

Mr. Farrow denied that he had been told that Mr. Clerk had been offered a bribe of $100 a week by J. E. Bisaillon, dismissed special Inspector of the district of Montreal, for the job.

Mr. Stevens tried to refresh Mr. Farrow's memory on the point, but the Deputy Minister said that while he had heard something about offered bribes, it was not in that connection.

There were 104 regular preventive officers in the Department and there had been sixty-seven special preventive men. This latter group had been reduced in number.

Smuggling Centres

Answering Mr. Bennett, Mr. Farrow said that Rock Island was the centre in Quebec of smuggling operations; in Ontario, Niagara Falls, Windsor and Sarnia were the worst points.

Asked if prohibition in the United States intensified the smuggling, Mr. Farrow said: "Yes."

D. M. Kennedy, Peace River, asked if there had been an increase in smuggling in 1924 and 1925, necessitating the employment of sixty or seventy extra preventive officers.

Mr. Farrow said: "Approximately, yes."

He did not think it meant that formerly the staff was inadequate.

"Better Ask the Minister"

The Deputy Minister gave the committee details of the working of his Department. He was asked why prosecution had not followed a second and third offence against the Customs Revenue Act, and he replied, "Better ask the Minister of the day."

The decision regarding prosecution remained with the Minister of Customs.

Mr. Farrow, however, did not think many people had been caught more than once at major smuggling operations. The records would show, however. He could remember only one offender of the kind.

Mexico to Claim Catholic Property

Nationalization of Church Possessions in Country Planned by Government

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 11.—Although there has been no official announcement, the newspapers here have received what is described as authoritative information that the Attorney-General is preparing to issue an order for the nationalization of all property of the Catholic Church in Mexico.

It also is said he intends to punish all persons who hide church possessions or who violate the Mexican constitution.

The same reports are to the effect that several Spanish priests have been arrested in Mexico City and sent to Vera Cruz for deportation. There is no confirmation of this.



"Everything from the linen to the furniture is mine, including the money we live on. What did you have before you married me?"

"Peace!"—Ruy Blas, Paris.

Prairies Enjoy Mildest Winter In Many Years

Spring-Like Weather General Throughout West—Rains in Southern Alberta —Ice Shortage in B.C.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 11.—Springlike weather continued to favor the Western Provinces of Canada today and in contrast to the severe conditions in the Northeastern States, the prairie country is enjoying the mildest Winter in many years.

Alberta basked in temperatures ranging up to 58 above and with the exception of a few points, the mercury was generally well above the freezing point in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Light rain fall in the Lethbridge district, the precipitation extending form Red Deer in the north, to the international boundary.

According to the Dominion weather bureau, a high depression wave is heading from the North, threatening to bring to an end the present mild spell.

Salt Lake Ball Club Will Now Be Hollywood

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 11.—Transfer of the Salt Lake baseball club to Los Angeles, to be known as the Hollywood baseball club, officially was effected today at a special meeting of stockholders.

Swimming Records Are Disallowed

Pool Found to Measure Three Inches Short Through Swelling of Bulkheads

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 11.—Miss Ethel Lackie, representing the Illinois Athletic Club of Chicago, retained her 100-yard free style title tonight at the A. A. U. national swimming championships for women, being held in the Alcazar Casino.

The 400-yard relay national championship was won by the team of the Women's Swimming Association of New York. Time, 4 minutes 32 1-5 seconds. The world records, established earlier in the week, were disallowed today by the A. A. U. officials when it was found that on the swelling of the bulkheads used as turning boards, the pool measured three inches short. The marks thrown out were the 200-yard breast stroke, in which Agnes Geraghty, of New York, was credited with world's record time of 2 minutes 58 4-5 seconds; and the 250-yard swim, in which Martha Norelius was clocked in 3 minutes 9 4-5 seconds.

U.S. Asks Britain To Curb Rum Flow

Discussions Opened for Stricter Control Over Exports—London Sympathetic

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The United States and Great Britain are again engaged in discussions as to methods of stopping shipments of liquor to American territorial waters by Britons.

The discussions were opened several weeks ago by American Ambassador Houghton, who presented to the Foreign Office an intimation from Washington that the United States would like the British Government to institute a new and stricter system to control exports of liquor. This intimation found a sympathetic ear in London.

The negotiations have progressed to the stage where Great Britain is evolving tentative regulations which would require the filing of more detailed bills of lading with the Government otherwise supervising shipments.

Dies by Own Hand

KINGSTON, Ont., Feb. 11.—William Lewis Campbell, a first-year student at the Royal Military College, who was found dead in a room at the college yesterday, "met death from a rifle in his own custody and charge," a coroner's jury found today. Death was apparently almost instantaneous.

Revelstoke Man Dies

REVELSTOKE, Feb. 11. — The death occurred here last night of Edmund Kincaid, aged twenty-five, a native of Revelstoke, from a lingering illness. Mr. Kincaid leaves his widow, his parents and a brother. He was one of Revelstoke's most popular young people and his death is keenly felt.

Fire Destroys Dormitories

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 11.—One hundred and forty-eight students of Southern Methodist University were homeless tonight as the result of a fire which late today destroyed the three men's dormitories at the University here. The damage was estimated at $150,000, partly covered by insurance.

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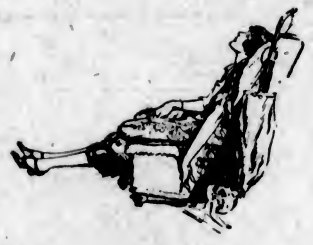
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

DEATHS

MURTON—On February 10, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Sarah Jane Murton, aged fifty six years; born in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, and a resident of this city for the past thirty-six years; late residence, 750 Market Street. The late Miss Murton was on the teaching staff of the North Ward School, and is survived by four brothers, William Murton, of Duncan, B.C.; George Henry and Frank Murton, of this city, and Frederick John Murton, of Saanich.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, February 13, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 2:15 o'clock, proceeding to the Metropolitan Institute, Quadra Street, formerly the Congregational Church, where service will be conducted at 2:30 by the Rev. Clem Davies. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Noon wish to thank all their kind friends for words of sympathy and the many beautiful floral tributes sent during their recent sad bereavement in the loss of their loving daughter.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

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CORNER FLOWER SHOP. Phone 1360 View and Broad. Funeral designs to your order. We grow our own flowers.

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J. MORTIMER & SON—Stone and Monumental work. 706 Courtney Street. Phone 3202.

STEWART'S MONUMENTAL WORKS LIMITED. Office and yard, corner May and Eberts Streets, near Cemetery. Phone 4817.

COMING EVENTS 1

AMPUTATIONS Association—A dance will be held in the above Association's club rooms, on Monday next, Feb. 15. Dancing from 8:30 to 11:45. Admission: Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Refreshments included.

A FANCY dress dance and card game will be held in Margaret Jenkins School Wednesday, Feb. 24th. Zala's orchestra to supply the music. Fancy dress optional. Refreshments served. Auspices P.T.A.

C.P.R. SOCIAL CLUB—Special dance, Empress Hotel, Saturday, February 13.

COLWOOD Hall—Masquerade and carnival dance, Friday, Feb. 19th, 9 to 1. Ten prizes. Flit's orchestra. Refreshments. Admission 50 cents.

DANCE, All-One-Family Dance Club, Saturday night, 8:30, A.O.F. Hall, Cormorant Street. The club orchestra. Invitations only.

DANCE, auspices Canadian Daughters' League, Sons of Canada Hall, Friday, 19th, 8:30. Refreshments. Gents 50c, ladies 35c. Tickets at Ivel's Drug Store.

DON'T forget the Y.M.C.A. Stunt Night, on Saturday, Feb. 13th, at 7:30 sharp. Amateur theatricals, boys' orchestra. Admission 25c. Reserved seats 35c.

ESQUIMALT Conservative Association—Whist drive, Sailors' Club, Friday, Feb. 12th, 8:30. Good prizes and refreshments. Admission 25c.

NEW Friendship Club dance every Saturday night in Chamber of Commerce. We still get the crowds. Have you been lately? Charlie Hunt's orchestra. Gents 50c, ladies 25c.

THE Hoot Owl Orchestra for house parties. Phone Owen Fowler, 6400, 1690R.

THE Rev. Dean Quainton, lecture series, Centennial Church, Monday night, "England and the English." Collection.

VICTORIA Quoit Club Scotch dance, Friday, February 12, in Orange Hall, 9 o'clock. 50c and 35c. Refreshments.

W.A. TO Canadian Legion—Whist drive tonight; $5 highest score, and other good prizes. Admission 25c.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

ARE you interested in becoming a motion picture actor? If so, apply 48 Arcade Building. Phone 1575.

GOOD canvasser and salesman wanted. Apply 713 Yates Street.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2 (Continued)

CARETAKER and wife wanted for Royal Victoria Yacht Club, permanent position, man used to repairing and painting boats preferred. Mail applications with references, stating experience, to P.O. Box 760.

MEN wanted, to learn auto tractor engineering. Write or call, Hemphill's Auto Engineering School, 10 Hastings St. E., Vancouver, B.C.

WANTED—A married man, who is a good milker, to take charge of a dairy herd and to drive Ford truck. Cottage with extras provided. Give full particulars and names of former employers. L. F. Solly, Westholme, B.C.

WANTED—Boy, about 15 years of age, for grocery delivery; just out from Old Country preferred. Box 5963, Colonist.

WANTED—Handy help on farm, able to milk; reasonable wages. Box 5243, Colonist.

WANTED—A few more mechanical drawing students. Phone Noel W. Barker, 3272L, for appointments.

WANTED—Live-wire subscription canvasser for quick-selling magazine; liberal commissions. Box 6520 Colonist.

WANTED—Motor Mechanics and Motor Boat Engineers. Experience not necessary if you are willing to learn at the Training Institute for the Motor Industry. High-grade modern cars enable pupils to drive and repair any car on completion. Unlimited training until proficient. One inclusive FEE. Free introduction to positions. Special facilities for car owners and ladies.

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FEMALE HELP WANTED 3

ARE you interested in becoming a motion picture actress? If so, apply 48 Arcade Building. Phone 1323.

LADIES wanted, to learn beauty culture, under the Moler System of Beauty Culture. We pay you while learning. Write or call, 10 Hastings St. E., Vancouver, B.C.

MARCELLING, 35c; shampoo, 35c; haircutting, 35c. Victoria Hairdressing College, first floor, Woolworth Building. Satisfaction guaranteed.

PIANO class for disposal, Vancouver; well known, fine location, good fees, all grades. No interview until fullest details given, experience and whether in position to buy. Box 5973, Colonist.

REFINED young English ex-land girl, experienced in driving auto; must be fond of country life and gardening, all-round help; two adults, one child; comfortable home; salary $25 per month. Apply Box 7713, Colonist.

SHAMPOOING, marcelling, curling, haircutting, manicuring, paper curling at reduced prices. Phone 2590. B.C. School of Hairdressing, 2nd Floor, Sayward Building.

SPROTT-SHAW School and Rockland Academy, affiliated. Courses: Commercial, Secretarial, Wireless, Preparatory, Collegiate, etc. Day and evening classes. Phone 28 for prospectus.

WANTED—Woman for general housework; sleep in. Phone 7892Y.

WANTED—A good girl at once. Apply 423 Dallas Road.

WANTED at once, for two months, resident mistress (English) for juniors. Also teach drawing and arithmetic to seniors. Salary $40. Box 8304 Colonist.

WANTED—Young girl, living in Oak Bay, to help nurse, wheel children, from 2 to 5 each afternoon. Telephone 1406.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

FOR house repairs, alterations, garages, store and office fittings, try Smith, 4731R.

GARDENS laid out, trees pruned, lawns made, finest seed sown. Phone 7284L2.

GARDENING—Have all your work done by highly qualified and practical men—it pays. We are horticultural experts and give you every satisfaction at reasonable charges. Now is the time to prune your trees and prepare your land. Phone 5379L.

JAPANESE student wants housework. P.O. Box 1912, Victoria.

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WANTED by returned man, furnaces, stoves, boilers installed or repaired; tinsmithing, plumbing, wringer rolls put on. Reasonable prices. Phone 3034X or 4801L.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

COMPETENT stenographer wishes position. Apply Box 8703, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED maternity nurse, daily or weekly. Phone 661 or 5298L.

LADY desires position in family, cooking, housework, sewing, by the day or half day. Apply Box 8904, Colonist.

POSITION wanted as companion-help to another in house, or hotel. Box 6745, Colonist.

RESPECTABLE person wishes employment evenings, would take charge of home and children, excepting Saturday and Sundays. Box 8097, Colonist.

SITUATION wanted by girl, 19½ years; light housework and care of child; some experience; sleep in. Box 3261, Colonist.

WANTED by educated Englishwoman, position as housekeeper or companion-help. 2½ years' reference, experienced in sewing. Moderate salary. Apply Box 2963, Colonist.

YOUNG lady, 20, English, willing to go to the country, wants post as governess to young children, in a school or family, speaks French fluently. Apply Miss Simpson, 1837 Beemer Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL, Victoria and Vancouver. L. Bullock-Webster. Elocution, public speaking class; and dramatic work. Phone 4201R.

ENGINEERS coached for certificates. W. J. Winterburn, 221 Central Building.

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MUSIC 7

BANJO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR, and all stringed instruments taught by W. G. Plowright, 1116 Broad Street. Phone 1985. Res. phone 1111Y1. Hours, 1 to 9 p.m., except Saturdays.

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ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. Phones Studio, 2047 and Res. 9130.

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FRANK BALAGNO, 'cellist and teacher. Studio, 916 Princess Ave. Phone 3264R.

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PIANO

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MUSIC 7 (Continued)

MRS. E. SEMPLE, teacher of piano. Phone: Res. 9130, Studio 2047.

PIANO lessons, beginners or advanced; $2 per month. Success guaranteed. Box 5606 Colonist.

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TO EXCHANGE 8

EXCHANGE 8-roomed furnished bungalow, Oak Bay, for house in Winnipeg or half section of land in southern Manitoba. Sam Calvert, 769 Yates. Phone 3113.

FOR Sale or Exchange—Tractor, suitable for lumber or general hauling. Pilmley's Garage.

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DRESSMAKING 9

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

CLOTHING, FURS, ETC.

FOR Sale—Lady's Persian lamb (fur) coat, very cheap. Phone 3120X.

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A MASON & RISCH upright piano, walnut case, in best of condition, cheap for cash. Phone 6303R.

AEOLIAN-VOCALION gramophone (cost $275 new), and $200 worth of first-class records, $330. Also an upright cabinet grand piano, in mahogany case, $300. Apply Box 7376, Colonist.

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BARGAIN—3-piece mahogany parlor suite, upholstered in real leather. Only $38. Oddy's, 1613 Douglas Street.

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FUMED oak dining set for $45. British Furniture Mart, 745-747 Fort Street.

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FOR Sale, donkey engine at waterfront, 10 x 11 compound yarder, fine condition, cables, blocks, tools, etc., complete. A snap. Will give suitable terms. Address, Owner, Box 8824 Colonist.

MISCELLANEOUS

ALL black soil and manure delivered, $2.60 per load. Ploughing, harrowing and general teaming done. R. Vye, 1846 Kings Road. Phone 168.

ALL makes sewing machines and phonographs repaired. 718 Yates.

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FOR Sale—Swede turnips and carrots for cattle; low price. Phone 1461.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

HIGH test Jersey milk. Gorge and Burnside district. Phone 3364Y.

MALLEABLE steel range, $2 per week. Phone 4633. 719 Pandora, removed from 1434 Douglas Street.

OPEN fire grate, dining-room suite, Axminster carpet, as good as new. 1944 Oak Bay Avenue.

GET READY FOR THE SPRING

ORDER now for immediate or later delivery. We have everything for orchard or garden, fruit trees, roses, rhododendrons, azaleas, etc., etc.
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RANGES sold, repaired, traded, moved, connected; coils made. Southall, 762 Fort Street.

SKIMMED milk for sale. Apply V.I.M.P.A.

SWEET peas, new and standard varieties, also vegetable peas and many other useful flower and vegetable seeds. List free. Fred Cousins, Seed, Bulb and Plant Grower, Public Market and Rural Route 4, Victoria.

WE deliver eggs fresh from the nests every day. Phone 9361R3.

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$4.25 LOAD—Well-seasoned, dry fir cordwood, stove length. Hanbs. Phone 7375L1.

.22 RIFLE, Win., $6.75; shotgun, 12 gauge, S.B., ejector, $12.60; sample cowhide leather suitcases, $13.75; sample suitcases, $1.75; 4-tube radio, complete, $25; Waltham and Elgin watches, $7.60; 8-power prismatic glasses, $27.90; field glasses, $6.75; Dunlop outer tires (new), $2; new inner tubes, $1; boy's bicycle, $12.90; gent's Perfect bicycle, $15; gold-filled spectacles to fit any sight, $1.76. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-Hand Store, 581 Johnson St., 4 doors below Govt. St. Phone 736.

1 FAIRBANKS dragsaw, with 3 saws. Mac's Store, 1416 Store Street.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 6186.

ABSOLUTELY Best Prices Paid for
GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING
Antiques, Old Silver, Sheffield Plate.
MRS. JOWITT, 321 Fort St. Phone 2136.

ABSOLUTELY best cash prices paid for ladies', gentlemen's and children's good class DISCARDED CLOTHING. Phone 3632, or call Mrs. Wardale, 1602 Douglas St.

ALL junk you have, the Veteran Junk will buy. Phone 2321.

BEST prices paid for old gold or silver, jewelry, precious stones and antiques. J. Rose, jeweler, 1013 Government Street.

DON'T hesitate—Phone 3403 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, 730 Fort St.

GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING BOUGHT
BEST PRICES PAID—WE CALL
SHAW & CO.
739 FORT STREET PHONE 401

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OLD artificial teeth bought, also gold crowns, bridgework; highest prices by return mail, post only. R. Dunstan, P.O. Box 240, Vancouver, B.C. Est. 1893.

PHONE 9186—WE PAY BEST PRICES for bottles, rags, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Try us.

RAGS, bottles, furniture, old clothes, junk, etc. Best prices. Phone 9073L.

SPOT cash for furniture, ranges, carpets, odds and ends; also old household silver and antiques. Phone 7213.

VICTORIA JUNK AGENCY CO.
We Buy Junk
1312 Wharf Street Phone 1334

WANTED—Pulleys and belts. Masters' Bakery, 1730 Cook St. Phone 1480.

WANTED—Woodworker's hand mortice machine and Stanley mitre box. A. Fraser, School Cross Road, Sidney.

WANTED—Some good furniture for dining-room, parlor and bedroom, for cash. Box 6701, Colonist.

WANTED to buy, saxophone cheap. Apply Box 8694 Colonist, stating price and terms.

½-H.P. ELECTRIC motor. State lowest price. Box 3113, Colonist.

ROOM AND BOARD 15

ABERDEEN Private Hotel, McClure Street, offers superior accommodation for business people. Thoroughly modern, just renovated throughout. Shower baths at each floor, hot and cold water every bedroom. First-class Old Country cook; white help. Rates from $40 and up. Phone 10180.

AT Firwood Lodge, 905 Cook Street. First-class board-residence. Phone 1139.

AVONTUUR, 631 Michigan St.—First-class residence, with board.

BOARD-RESIDENCE; modern, desirable home for business people. 940 Fairfield Road. Telephone 9086X.

BON ACCORD, 846 Princess, board-residence, close in; moderate. Phone 4062.

COMFORTABLE room and board; furnace. Close in. Reasonable rates. 1024 McClure. Phone 1090X.

THE CECIL

RESIDENTIAL and transient; moderate, good board. 1323 Blanshard. Phone 1216O.

ROOM and board for working man, home cooking. 242 Pandora.

1050 SOUTHGATE — Select room and board. Close to car, city. Phone 5673L.

$7 WEEKLY—Good room and board. 736 Pisgard Street, near H.B. Store. Phone 4049X.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

FAIRFIELD HOTEL

CENTRALLY located, opposite City Hall, clean and quiet; hot water and well heated; reasonable rates. Phone 3392O. H. A. Lineham, proprietor.

FURNISHED rooms with housekeeping privileges, close in, near sea and car. Phone 5601, morning or evening.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19

APPLY 931 Simcoe Street—Well furnished housekeeping rooms, ground floor, every convenience.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19 (Continued)

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A FULLY furnished home-like apartment, piano, nice grounds, near business. Telephone 6773Y.

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TO RENT—HOUSES 23

PEMBERTON & SON

Rockland Avenue, close to car, modern house of 9 rooms; 2 baths. Hot water heating; gas. Garage $75
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Elford Street, modern 7-room house; garage. Gas $40
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WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES 24

WANTED to Rent—Suburban to Victoria, four to six-room house, in good repair; water, telephone; small acreage, some fruit; careful tenants, no children. State terms and description, Box 12, Sidney P.O.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 26

A VERY attractive 6-roomed house, Foul Bay, fully furnished, hardwood floors on ground floor; garage.

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27 (Continued)

HATCHING eggs—Rhode Island Reds, White Wyandottes, Columbia, Partridge, Cornish Game, Barred Rocks, Anconas and Mammoth Pekin duck eggs. 597 Old Esquimalt Road. Phone 4707R.

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AUTOMOBILES 28

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AUTOMOBILES 28 (Continued)

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LOST—By working girl, small purse containing money. Reward. Phone 7138L2.

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DEEP COVE SEAFRONT, 2 ACRES, ALL IN GARDEN FRUITS AND NUTS, MODERN PLASTERED 5-ROOM HOUSE, bath, hot and cold water, wash tubs, basement; 8-foot veranda overlooking Saanich Inlet. Garage and outbuildings. Private beach. Price $6,500; or with 4 acres, $8,000.

DEEP COVE—10 MINUTES TO SEA—3½ ACRES; 200 FRUIT TREES IN FULL BEARING, AND QUANTITIES OF SMALL FRUITS, BULBS, ETC. Close to school, store and church. Taxes $6 per annum. House of 4 rooms, plastered. Price reduced to $3,000. Terms $500 cash; balance can remain for 2½ years at 7%. Exclusive agent, G. C. HOWELL, 108 Pemberton Bldg.

EXCEPTIONAL Farm Bargain—20 acres, in best part of Keating district. 10 acres under cultivation, balance partly cleared. Excellent modern 5-roomed house, basement. Large modern barn and chicken houses. On main highway, 11 miles to city. Good water supply. Mortgages sale. Only $6,500. Bagshawe & Co., Sayward Bldg.

FOX farm—An island, 13 acres, convenient to Victoria. Apply to D. Fraser, Colonist Office. For sale or lease.

FOR farms and Mill Bay waterfront property, see R. W. Frayne, Real Estate and Service Station, Mill Bay.

VERY LOW PRICES

ACREAGE

INSIDE the 3-mile circle, on the Happy Valley Road. $10 to $16 per acre. 350 acres in all, which can be bought as a whole or in part.

CLOSE TO SCHOOL
CLOSE TO STORE
CLOSE TO CHURCH
CITY DELIVERIES

Splendid transportation and city water can be had.

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922 GOVERNMENT STREET
PHONE 125

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Executors and Trustees
REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT
Phone 4750
Belmont House Victoria, B.C.

BARGAINS IN WATERFRONT PROPERTY

$1000 WILL purchase 11 acres on the waterfront, near Mill Bay.

$850 FOR 7 acres waterfront on the Sooke River, close to the hotel.

13 ACRES on the waterfront, Metchosin district. We are open to consider any reasonable offer.

MILL BAY—One to four-acre blocks. This property faces south; excellent location for Summer homes.

WATERFRONTAGE—GORDON HEAD DISTRICT

8 ACRES of good land, all cleared and under cultivation, approximately one acre in orchard and small fruits. A nice-appearing house, bungalow style, fronting ... Straits containing six rooms, two fireplaces, bathroom and separate toilet, ... water and its own electric lighting plant. Outbuildings. Ideal location. Magnificent view.

PRICE FOR QUICK SALE, $6,500

This property is not only a good buy for home and farm purposes, but also has first-class speculative prospects. Apply

W. McLEISH
210 Central Bldg. Phone 1035

WATERFRONT WATERFRONT

190 ACRES, with 40 chains frontage on sandy beach. Situate on Island Highway, near Qualicum Beach. Owner must sell. Price $4,700 or near offer.

FIVE acres, beautifully situated on Cowichan Bay. Fine beach, fishing and hunting. Almost new 6-room bungalow, built for a home, not just a Summer cottage. A real bargain at $3,500.

J. B. LIVSEY
204 Sayward Block Phone 994

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
(Continued)

NORTH SAANICH

A FEW ACRES OF GOOD LAND OVERLOOKING THE STRAITS, EXCEPTIONAL SITUATION, 2 MINS. TO SEA. $250 PER ACRE.

SPARLING
At Deep Cove Tel. Sidney 102Y

$2800 — SAANICH — FIVE ACRES; 1½ in strawberries, ½ in logans, 50 young logans, 50 young blackberries, 40 assorted heavy bearing fruit trees, few shade trees, 3-roomed bungalow, cow barn, wood and chicken houses. Twenty minutes' run from city. PATTERSON REALTY, 905 Yates.

FARM BARGAIN

THIRTY-THREE acres, only six miles out, on paved road. About ten acres cultivated, balance lightly timbered. Comfortable four-room house, barn and chicken house.

PRICE $3,300.

The cheapest close-in acreage on the market.

JOHN GREENWOOD
1326 Government St.

$2700—FOR 50 acres good land. Small lake on property, 9 miles from Victoria. All adjoining land held at $100 per acre. Terms $200 cash, balance to suit. F. F. Higgs, 205 Pemberton Bldg.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

FINE residential lot, 60 ft. frontage, best part Rockland Ave., near Government House; fine trees, no rock. Apply Owner, Box 8829, Colonist.

FINE ½ acre, on North Quadra Street, some fruit trees. Would sell, or would build on terms to suit purchaser. Phone 2466R.

SACRIFICE Sale — Downtown business buildings and properties. Good investment. Price and particulars, apply 718 View Street.

$1600—2 ACRES, grand homesite, fine views, rich soil, family orchard, shade trees. Topaz Ave., just off Quadra. Owner, Box 8950, Colonist.

2 LOTS, 44x160 each, best part James Bay (three new homes adjoining), close to corner and park. A gift at $875. Would consider selling separately.

SPECIAL! SPECIAL! SPECIAL!
NEWPORT AVENUE, 100x150

SACRIFIED by owner for immediate action. An opportunity to buy in this favorite location at a sacrifice price of $1,100. Terms.

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
610 View St. Phone 3030

PROPERTY WANTED 45

WANTED—Good lot at Shawnigan Lake, for building purposes; cheap for cash. Box 8008, Colonist.

WANTED—One or two lots, near school, car and beach; must be reasonable for cash. Box 8954, Colonist.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

FOR SALE
ON SALT SPRING ISLAND

A 1,000-ACRE sheep farm, good buildings, excellent water supply, mild climate, frontage both on sea and fresh water lake. Further particulars from

A. W. JONES, LIMITED
1002 Broad Street Victoria, B.C.

AS A GOING CONCERN
HOME AND FARM COMBINED

WITHIN 30 minutes of city, PAVED ROAD—4½-acre CHICKEN and FRUIT FARM, with 5-room house, fully furnished, bath and toilet, city water; chicken houses, about 400 birds, cow, also 30 cords of stove wood, all cut. We consider this a splendid buy for $3,000, and a nice, dry, healthy location. See us today. No phone information. Price $3,000.

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House Opposite P.O.

50 ACRE farm, five miles out of Victoria; 30 acres cleared; seven-room dwelling, barns, large orchard, telephone, bus service. This is fine, profitable farm, and will increase in value. Easy terms. Might take city property in part payment. Apply Owner, Box 8488, Colonist.

WANTED TO RENT—FARMS 48

WANTED—To lease, with option of purchase, farm near Victoria. Box 9003, Colonist.

MONEY TO LOAN 53

MONEY TO LOAN

ARE you ready to commence building? If so, we are offering advantageous terms of repayment in semi-annual or annual instalments at the current rate of interest.

Maximum loans made to responsible parties on approved security, business, farm or residential property.

P. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD.
Real Estate, Financial and General Insurance
1112 Broad Street Phone 1076

AGREEMENTS FOR SALE, mortgages, motor liens, etc., bought for cash. Apply A. D. Ford, 307 Pemberton Building. Phone 1506.

7% MONEY

A LIMITED amount to loan on strictly first-class improved property at seven per cent. Heisterman, Forman & Co.

AGREEMENTS for sale and mortgages purchased. Money to loan. Foot & Manzer, Barristers, Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg., Victoria.

ATTRACTIVE terms of repayment—Sums ranging from $250 upwards always available for first mortgage loans on business, home or farm properties. Lowest current rate of interest. Strictly confidential. P. R. Brown & Sons, Ltd., 1112 Broad Street. Phone 1076.

MORTGAGES

IMPROVED SECURITY REQUIRED

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
640 FORT STREET

MONEY to loan on first mortgage, in amounts $500-$3,000. Building loans in Oak Bay or Fairfield considered. Wise & Co., Ltd., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

PERSONAL 56

HEALTHY three-months baby girl for adoption. Apply Box 8918, Colonist.

IF your watch does not give satisfaction, bring it to the "Watch Bench," Brown Block, Broad St. Mainsprings, $1; cleaning, $1; work guaranteed. Opp. Spencer's.

MADAME OLIVIA, clairvoyant, 202 Beverley Building, 139 Yates St. Consultations. Phone 5806.

MADAME H. NICHOLA, Palmist and Psychologist. For appointments, phone 5310R.

SAFETY razor blades resharpened; razors honed and set, 35c. F. D. Cox, 637 Fort.

THOS. PLIMLEY, Ltd., for guaranteed used cars and trucks. Liberal terms. Phone 697.

WATCHES, clocks and jewelry cleaned and repaired. Moderate charges. Work guaranteed. Dewar, Room 110, Woolworth Bldg. Phone 3363.

YOUNG man, with some means, would like to hear from young lady, object, matrimony. Box 8972, Colonist.

TIMBER BROKERS 60

CROWN grant and licensed timber for sale. Cruisers' reports and estimates furnished, with topographical maps. Log brokers. Girdwood & Lewis, Ltd., 117-119 Pemberton Bldg.

FOR Sale—Timber license, Alberni Canal, mile and half from salt water and post-office, 14 miles from mills. Over 15 million, half large cedar. Price $3,500. Address C. L. Roberts, B.C. Land Surveyor, 1113 Government Street.

RYAN, McINTOSH, HINDERSON, BLAIR TIMBER CO., LTD., TIMBER CRUISERS, VALUATORS AND CONSULTING ENGINEERS. Timber for sale in large or small tracts. Crown grant or licences, in any part of the Province. 762 BELMONT HOUSE, VICTORIA.

WE have for sale timber, Crown grant or licence, large or small tracts. Pemberton & Son.

Finance and Commerce

AGENTS WANTED 59

SALESMEN, with or without experience. Earn $100 weekly in advance. Sell $14.75 men's suits; stand fire and snag test; fit, quality, service guaranteed. Free sales outfit. Every man a willing buyer. No competition. Dept. 11, Superior Clothing Co., 1919 North Ave., Chicago, Ill., U.S.A.

HIGH SCHOOL
BARGAIN 5-ROOMED $2450 BARGAIN BUNGALOW
East of Fernwood. Perfect condition.
R. G. CHRISTY & CO., LTD.
Times Building Phone 375

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT
R.S.C. Chapter 115

Union Oil Company of Canada, Limited, hereby gives notice that it has under Section 7 of the said Act deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry District at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, a description of the site and the plan of a wharf and approach to the same proposed to be built in the Lower Harbor in the said City of Victoria in front of sub-lots 13, 14 and 15 in Lot 119, Esquimalt District, formerly Songhees Indian Reserve.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice the Union Oil Company of Canada, Limited, will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa for approval of the said site and for leave to construct the said wharf and approach to the same.

Dated at Vancouver, British Columbia, this 15th day of January, 1926.

R. J. KENMUIR,
District Sales Manager.

We Have Several Clients for 4 or 5-Room Bungalows. Price Up to $3,000.00. Terms $400 Cash, Balance Monthly
Empire Realty Co., Ltd.
641 Fort Street

Victoria Mines and Silver Ledge Consider Amalgamation of Claims

A meeting of the shareholders of the Victoria Mines and the owners of the Silver Ledge, will, it is understood, be held soon for the purpose of considering a proposition for the amalgamation of the two properties. If the scheme be carried out New York capital, interested in the proposition by Mr. A. R. Ross on his recent trip to the East, is ready to take over the amalgamated holdings for the purpose of development, it is said.

The Silver Ledge adjoins the Victoria Mines, and the showing in the latter carries through to the former. The showing made during the last season on the Victoria is such that the directors of the company are said to have the utmost faith in its future. It is expected shortly that the tunnel being driven on the Victoria will tap the continuation of the Sunbeam vein in the Dunwell.

Cultivated Mushroom Crop Equals Demand

The price of mushrooms has been the subject of a number of inquiries to The Colonist. Quotations received from some of the leading wholesale and retail merchants yesterday were as follows: Outdoor (per pound), no quotation; retail, 40 cents. Cultivated, wholesale, 85c to $1; retail, $1 to $1.25.

According to information received there appears to be a scarcity of outdoor mushrooms this year, and few wholesale or retail houses have been able to obtain supplies. The cultivated crop, however, is good and well able to take care of the demand.

Week's Clearings

WINNIPEG, Feb. 11.—Following are the bank clearings of the principal cities in the Dominion for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago.

	1926	1925
Halifax	$5,389,241	$5,874,705
St. John	2,022,267	2,348,987
Moncton	821,488	867,592
Sherbrooke	607,530	578,540
Quebec	5,138,464	4,423,677
Montreal	99,439,082	89,365,546
Ottawa	5,478,391	5,289,088
Kingston	611,905	401,717
Peterboro	629,114	729,664
Toronto	95,654,897	78,816,489
Hamilton	2,475,501	4,080,129
Brantford	961,553	921,498
London	2,131,211	2,189,771
Kitchener	985,693	719,787
Windsor	3,511,655	2,787,978
Fort William	803,708	781,119
Winnipeg	39,584,680	59,795,148
Brandon	451,816	522,886
Regina	3,779,818	2,134,191
Saskatoon	1,496,812	1,131,915
Moose Jaw	891,288	1,088,416
Prince Albert	347,643	347,893
Lethbridge	479,456	447,612
Calgary	7,329,868	5,306,434
Edmonton	4,528,011	4,968,534
Medicine Hat	207,019	341,457
Vancouver	15,007,914	17,368,186
Victoria	2,074,587	1,685,551
New Westminster	598,715	530,830

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Sterling steady. Demand 485 15-16; cables 486 3-8; 60-day bills on banks 481 7-8.

At Victoria

Buying 4.85 5-8; selling 4.88 5-8.

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Bar silver 66 7-8. Mexican dollars 51 1-8.

At London

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Bar silver 30 7-8d per ounce.

Dow Jones' Averages

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Forty leading bonds, 94.25; off .09.

Twenty industrials, 161.58; up 1.27, and new high record.

Twenty active rails, 111.11; up .23.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 10.—Charges of conspiracy against Dorothy Lee Teschiona in connection with the $523,000 mail robbery here last October, were dismissed here today after she had testified in the trial of her husband, Frank Teschiona and herself.

Stocks Falter As Banks Scan Brokers' Loans

Market Develops Alternate Periods of Strength and Weakness — Call Money Easier—Bears Active

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Wide fluctuations in prices of special stocks again featured today's stock market which developed alternate periods of weakness and strength.

Easier call money rates and the appearance of additional favorable 1925 earnings statements helped to revive bullish enthusiasm, but some uneasiness developed among professional operators on the long side on reports that banks were exercising stricter supervision over the quality of collateral pledges for brokers' loans as a result of the figures recently made public by the New York Stock Exchange.

Bear traders went gunning for soft spots during the session and succeeded in bringing down a number of them.

Revival of activity and strength in the Armour issues was based on reports of improvement in the packing industry.

Phillips Petroleum assumed the leadership of the oil group by advancing more than 2 points to 48 5-8.

Call money renewed at five per cent and then dropped to 4 1-2. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Total sales were 1,835,600 shares.

Interest in the bond market was focused on speculative rail issues which alone were able to withstand the effects of firm money conditions and profit-taking. These influences, coupled with the approach of a holiday, tended to restrict activities, and trading was generally dull.

All Fractions in Eighths

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	93-5	93-3	93-3
Allied Chem.	139-7	138-4	139-4
Am. Beet Sugar	33-5	33-5	33-5
Am. Bosch Mag	31-4	30-2	30-2
Am. Can.	314-4	315	315
Am. Car & Fdy.	109-7	109-7	109-7
Am. Intl. Corp.	44-5	44-5	44-5
Am. Linseed	55-5	56-2	56-2
Am. Locomotive	114	113	113
Am. Smelters	142-1	140-1	142
Am. Steel Fdy.	45-1	45-1	45-1
Am. Sugar	82-3	82-3	82-3
Am. Sum. Tob.	12-6	12-6	12-5
Am. Tel. & Tel.	147-5	146-5	147-5
Am. Tobacco, ex div.	115-2	115-4	115-5
Am. Tobacco B	114-7	116	116
Am. Woolens	38-5	36-2	36-2
Anaconda	50-7	50	50
Armour A	25	24	24-5
Atlantic Gulf	57-5	57-2	57-2
Atchison	131-5	131-5	131-5
Baldwin Loco.	124-5	123	123-4
Baltimore & Ohio	91-3	90-5	91
Bethlehem Steel	47	46-1	46-4
Brooklyn Manhat.	65-7	66-7	65-7
California Packing	149	145-4	148-2
California Pete	37-1	35-3	36-5
Can. Pacific	157	155-4	156-7
Central Leather	20-2	19	19
Cerro De Pasco	69	67-4	68
Chandler	48	48	48
Chesapeake & Ohio	119-7	119-2	119-4
Chi. Gt. Western	11-4	11-1	11-4
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	13-1	13-1	13-1
C. M. & St. P. pfd.	20-5	20-2	20-2
Chi. & Northwest	73-4	73	73
Chi., R.I. & Pac.	55-2	52	52-1
Chrysler Motor	50-3	49-5	49-5
Coca Cola	155	149	151-1
Col. Fuel & Iron	37-7	36-7	37
Columbia Gas	85	85	85
Cons. Gas	100-1	98-7	100-4
Cont. Can.	87-4	86-4	86-4
Cont. Oil	24-1	24-1	24-1
Cont. Motor	12-2	12-1	12-1
Corn Products	41-3	40-5	40-6
Cosden Oil	34-5	34-5	34-5
Crucible Steel	77-4	77	77
Cuba Am. Sugar	29	28-5	28-5
Davison Chem.	45-7	42-7	43-7
Del., Lack. & West.	148-3	148-3	148-5
Dodge Bros.	44-3	43-5	43-7
Dodge Bros. pfd.	87-1	87	87-1
Dupont Powder	231	227-2	228-7
Elec. Power	35-4	32-6	32-7
Engineer	17-1	17-4	17-4
Erie	37	36	37
Erie First pfd.	45-5	44-5	44-5
Famous Players	118-3	116-5	116-3
Fisher Body	98	97-3	97-5
General Asphalt	67	66	66-4
General Cigar	117-3	115	115
General Electric	366	362-4	367-4
General Motors	127	121-4	125-2
Goodrich Rubber	67-1	67	67-4
Granby	23	23-1	23-4
Great North. Ore	26	26	26
Great North pfd.	74-7	74-5	74-6
Gt. West Sug.	103-4	102-1	103
Gulf States Steel	87	87	87
Houston Oil	69-3	69-3	69-3
Howe Sound	31	30-1	30-4
Illinois Central	118	116	118
Imperial Oil	38-7	38-7	38-7
Inspiration	26-3	26-1	26-1
Int. Comb. Eng.	55-5	55	55-4
Int. Pete	31	34	31
Int. Mer. Marine	10-1	10-3	10-4
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd.	42-5	42-1	42-1
Int. Nickel	45-7	42-5	42-5
Int. Tel. & Tel.	128-1	128-1	128-4
Kan. City South	46-5	46-5	46-5
Kennecott Copper	58-1	57-7	57-7
Keystone Tire	2	2	2
Lehigh Valley	83-1	82	83-1
Louisiana Oil	17	17	17
Louis. & Nash.	134-4	134-1	134-4
Mack Truck	147	145-2	146-4
Marland Oil	59-6	59	59-4
Mex. Seaboard	9-7	9-7	9-7
Miami	13	13	13
Miss. Pacific	36-4	36-4	38-1
Miss. Pac. pfd.	85-2	85-3	85-2
Montana Power	82	80-7	81-6
Montgomery Ward	76-1	75-2	75-5
Moon Motor	36	55-3	35-5
Motherlode	7-1	7	7
Motor Wheel	32	33	33
National Biscuit	89-2	88-6	89-3
Nat'l Dairy Prod.	74-5	74-5	71-5
National Lead	176-2	175-2	176-2
Nevada Cons	48-4	48-4	48-4
Norfolk & West.	151-1	150-6	150-6
North American	45	45	45
Northern Pacific	73-7	72-6	72-6
N.Y. Central	129-2	128-6	129-3
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	43	43	43
N.Y. Ont. & West	27	27	27
Packard Motor	40-3	40-1	40-1
Pacific Oil	63	62	62-1
Pan American	69	69	69
Pan American B	69-6	69-1	69-5
Pennsylvania R.R.	52-7	52-7	52-7
People's Gas	128	128	128
Pere Marquette	83	83	81
Phil. Reading Coal	46-1	45	46-1
Phillips Pete	48-4	45-7	48-5
Pierce Arrow	39-4	38-1	38-5
Producers & Ref.	16-1	16-1	16-1
Pullman Co.	169-2	161	166-1
Pure Oil	30	29-5	29-7
Radio	44-1	41-7	43-7
Rail Steel Spring	164	164	164
Ray Cons	12-7	12-7	12-7
Reading	88-2	87-2	87-5
Rep. Iron & Steel	58-2	55-2	55-7
Royal Dutch	54-4	54-4	54-4
Savage Arms	102	95	97-7
Schulte	136-5	136-4	136-4
Sears Roebuck	217-4	217	217-4
Shell Union	27-7	27-2	27-3
Sinclair Cons.	24-4	23-5	24
Sloss Sheffield	137-5	137-4	137-4
Southern Pac.	103	101-4	101-5
Southern Railway	115	114-7	114-6
Standard Gas	64-2	64-4	65-2
Standard Oil, Cal.	60-4	60	60-4
Standard Oil, N.J.	45	44-6	44-6
Standard Oil, Ind.	67-5	67-5	67-5
Stewart Warner	85-2	85	85
St. Louis & San Fran.	97	97	97
Stromberg Carb.	75-4	75-4	75-4
Studebaker	57-5	57	57-4
Tennessee Copper	15-5	15-4	15-4
Texas Co.	52-4	52-4	52-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	149	139-2	139-7
Texas Pacific R.R.	57-2	57-2	57-2
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	17	17	17
Timken Roller	55-7	55	55-1
Tobacco Prod.	98-2	98	98
Tobacco Prod. A	107-4	107-4	107-4
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	205	203	203
Union Pacific	148-3	148-5	148-5
Transcont. Oil	4-1	4-1	4-1
U.S. Ind. Alco.	83-7	83-7	83-7
U.S. Rubber	86	84-4	85
U.S. Steel	133-2	131	131-7
Universal Pipe	26-2	25-2	25-2
Vanadium	31-5	31-5	31-5
Wabash	75-4	75-5	75-6
Western Union	144-4	143-4	144-4
Western Pacific	38-4	35-4	36-4
Westing. Elec.	79-5	77-2	79
White Motor	90	88	88-2
Willys-Overland	31-4	30-7	31-2
Willys-Overland pfd.	98-4	98-1	98-4
Woolworth	205	205	205
Worth. Pump	45-5	43-3	42-3
Y'gstn Sh. & Tu.	88-3	83-3	83-3

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625 Fort Street Established 1887 Phones 78 and 388

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents:
France—Demand 3.69½, cables 3.70.
Italy—Demand 4.03½, cables 4.05½.
Belgium—Demand 4.54½.
Germany—Demand 23.80.
Holland—Demand 40.05.
Norway—Demand 20.33.
Sweden—Demand 26.77.
Denmark—Demand 24.85.
Switzerland—Demand 19.26.
Spain—Demand 14.11½.
Greece—Demand 1.46.
Poland—Demand 1350.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand 2.96.
Jugo-Slavia—Demand 1.75½.
Austria—Demand .14.
Rumania—Demand .42.
Argentina—Demand 40.87.
Brazil—Demand 14.75.
Tokio—Demand 45⅛.
Shanghai—Demand 75½.
Montreal—99 25-32.

Victoria Stock Exchange

Mining

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.55	1.75
Dunwell Mines	1.49	1.54
Glacier Creek	.07	.10
Gladstone	.36	.38½
Goldsmith	.14	.15
Howe Sound	31.00	34.00
Independence	.07	.09
Indian Mines	.05	.05½
International Coal	..	.14
L. & L. Glacier	.14	.16
Leadsmith	.07¾	.08¼
Lakeview	.02	.07
Leadsmith	.07¾	.08¼
Lucky Jim	.15	.16
Marmot Metals	.07	.09
Porter-Idaho	..	.10½
Premier Mines	2.50	2.55
Richmond	.04¾	.05¼
Ruth Hope	.20	.24
Selkirk	..	.04
Silverado	..	.10
Silver Crest Mines	.10	.12
Silversmith	.42½	.43½
Sunloch Mines	.15	.20
Surf Inlet Gold	.08	.09½
Terminus	.10	.20
Victoria	..	.23
Oils		
British Petroleum	.14	.17
B.C. Montana	.00 3-16	.00 5-16

Sales—100 Dunwell, 1.51; 500 Glacier, .09¾; 700 Leadsmith, .08; 500 Silversmith, .43; 200 Silversmith, .43; 1,000 Silversmith, .43; 1,000 Silversmith, .43; 1,000 Silversmith, .43; 1,000 Silversmith, .43; 1,000 Silversmith, .43; 500 Silversmith, .43½; 500 Premier, 2.50; 400 Premier, 2.55; 5,000 Indian, .05½; 500 Indian, .05½; 10 Howe Sound, 31.00; 2,000 Leadsmith, .08.

Spokane Stocks

(From Northwest Mines Investment, through R. P. Castle & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Ajax	.02	.07
Ambergris	.12½	.18
Caledonia	.08½	.12
Callahan Zinc-Lead	2.00	..
Gladstone Mountain	.35	.36
Hecla	15.00	..
Leadsmith	.07	.08
Lucky Jim	.14¾	.15½
Marsh Cons	.06¾	.08½
Premier Gold	2.19	2.20
Richmond Cons.	.01½	.04¾
Sherman Lead	.21	.23
Silversmith	.39½	.42
Standard	.09	..
Stratton	.32	.37
Sunshine	.26½	.31½
Tamarack	.46	.53
Western Union	.10	.15

NEW YORK CURB

2 O'CLOCK LIST

Industrials

	Bid	Asked
Acme Coal	5	25
Centrifugal	25	25½
Checker Cab	8	15¾
Durant Del.	11¾	15¾
Mesabi	1⅝	2
Stutz	24¾	25½
Reo	23¾	24
Tob. Prod. Ex.	4½	4⅞
Un. Profit Shar.	13⅛	13⅝
Un. Retail Candy	7½	8
Cities Serv. com.	38	38½
Cities Serv., pfd.	83¼	83¾
Cities Serv. Bkrs.	18⅞	19⅛
Am. Gas El.	91	93¼
Lehigh Pow. Secs	20½	20¾
Oils		
Carib	14½	14¾
Glenrock	5	20
Int. Pete	25¾	31
Marl Mex	2⅝	3½
Mexico Oil	10	11
Cont. Oil	23¾	28¾
Noble Oil	7	8
Pennock Oil	21½	23
Ryan Cons	5	5½
Sapolpa	1	2
Salt Cr. Prod.	28½	32½
Salt Cr. Cons	9⅞	10
Wilcox	25½	26
Cly	13⅞	14¾
Mo.	24⅝	24¾
Kpe.	2½	5
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	16	19
Butte & West	..	10
Cal. Jerome	11	15
Cons. Copper	1⅞	2⅛
Cresson	2⅝	2⅞
Delores	69	75
Eureka	5	8
Hecla	18½	18⅝
Hollinger	19	19⅛
J. V. Day	1⅜	1⅝
Kerr Lake	1⅛	1½
Mason Valley	2⅛	2⅝
Nipissing	5⅝	5⅞
Ohio Copper	71	75
Teck Hughes	3½	3⅝
Un. Eastern	41	45
Un. Verde Ex.	30½	31½
Wayne Coal	2	10
New Mont	57½	59¼

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.67	1.75
Bayview	..	.10
Bowena Copper	..	.05
Cork Province	.03	.04
Dunwell	1.55	1.60
Glacier	.09	.12
Gladstone	.35½	.38
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.01¾
Howe Sound	28.00	33.00
Independence	.07	.07½
Indian Mines	.05	.05½
Int. Coal	.11½	.14
L. & L.	.14½	.15
Lakeview (new)	.01½	..
Lucky Jim	.15	.16
Marmot Metals	.05	..
McGillivray	.64	.75
National Silver	.11½	.15
Premier	2.28	2.24
Porter-Idaho	.16	.11
Ruth Hope	.30	.35
Selkirks	.02	.04
Silver Crest	.10½	.12
Silversmith	.41½	.45
Surf Inlet	.08	.10
B.C. Montana	.00 3-16	.00¼
British Petroleum	.16	.16¼
Maple Leaf	.14½	..
Trojan Oil	.01¾	.02¼
B.C. Perm. Loan	100.00	..
B.C. Telephone, com.	148.00	..

Sales

Feb. 10, 3 p.m.—4,000 British Petroleum, 15; 50 Dunwell, $1.56; 250 Premier, $2.55; 500 Lucky Jim, 16.

Feb. 11, 10:50 a.m.—50,000 B.C. Montana, .00¼; 500 B.C. Silver, $1.69; 400, $1.69; 2,000 British Petroleum, .15; 1,000, .15½; 2,000, .16; 1,000, .16½; 600 Dunwell, $1.56; 1,000 Glacier, .10; 200, .10½; 2,000 Independence, .07¾; 500 Indian, .05½; 1,000 L. & L., .15; 550 Premier, $2.25; 500 Porter-Idaho, .10½; 1,500, .10; 500 Silversmith, .42½.

C.N.R. Week's Earnings Show 7 Per Cent Jump

MONTREAL, Feb. 11.—The gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways for the week ended February 7, 1926, were $4,229,361 as against $3,915,351 over the same period last year, an increase of $284,030, or seven per cent.

Wheat Active and Closing Is Higher

Good Trading Session at Winnipeg Results in Upward Swing of Prices

WINNIPEG, Feb. 11.—Wheat and coarse grains experienced a more active trading session today and at the close all ranged higher. Wheat closed ¾ cent to 1⅜ cents higher at $1.56⅜ for May, $1.55¼ for July and $1.36⅞ for October. Prices throughout the day were above the previous close and the market acted stubbornly.

There was a fair class of buying, part of which looked like export business, while millers also picked up a little wheat. There were spreading operations during the session. The demand from overseas again appeared limited.

Exports of wheat and flax from Canada, from September 1 to January 31, are officially placed at 184,748,000 bushels.

Trade in coarse grains was featureless. The flax market was weak early in the session, losing about 5½ cents, but firmed up later.

Midwinter dullness continued in all cash markets, and practically no business was transacted.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	155	156⅝	155	155⅝
July	154½	155⅝	153⅝	155¼a
Oct.	135⅝	137	135½	136⅞
Oats—				
May	46⅝	47	46⅝	46⅞b
July	47½	47⅞	47½	47⅝b
Oct.	44½	45⅛	44⅝	45⅛b
Barley—				
May	61⅝	62	61¼	61⅝
July	63⅛	63	63⅛	63⅝a
Flax—				
May	210½	210½	204⅝	207b
July	211⅛	211⅝	206½	209a
Oct.	203	206	203	205a
Rye—				
May	97⅞	98½	98	97⅝b
July	97⅛	98⅝	97⅛	98⅛b
Oct.	91½	95⅛	91a	94b

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 155⅝; 2 nor., 149⅝; 3 nor., 144⅝; No. 4, 137⅜; No. 5, 128⅝; No. 6, 109⅞; feed, 89⅞; track, 154⅝; screenings, $3 a ton.

Oats—2 cw., 44⅝; 3 cw., 40⅝; extra 1 feed, 40⅝; 1 feed, 38⅝; 2 feed, 35⅝; rejected, 33⅞; track, 44⅞.

Barley—3 cw., 58¼; 4 cw., 53¼; rejected, 50; feed, 49; track, 58½.

Flax—1 nwc., 201½; 2 cw., 197; 3 cw., 182; rejected, 172; track, 202.

Rye—2 cw., 93¾.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi	88-4	88-1
Asbestos	92	92-4
Asbestos pfd.	..	116
Atlantic Sugar	..	29
Bank of Commerce	..	236
Bell Telephone	..	140
Brazilian Trac.	91	91-1
Brompton Paper	31-5	33
Can. Cement com.	105-4	106-4
Can. Cement pfd.	..	118
Can. Car Fdy. com.	..	47
Can. S.S. com.	..	12
Can. S.S. pfd.	..	53-2
Can. Cottons	..	123
Can. Converters	92-4	..
Cons. M. & S.	225-5	225-7
Dominion Bridge	..	100-1
Dominion Glass	..	98
Dominion Textile	..	98-4
Howard Smith	51-2	51-4
Lake of Woods Milling	..	171
Laurentide Co.	87-2	87-4
Mackay Co.	..	137
Montreal Power	..	217
National Breweries	63	63-2
Ontario Steel	..	71-4
Ogilvie Milling Co.	191	195
Ottawa Power	..	98
Penman's Ltd.	..	185
Shawinigan	..	170-4
Spanish River Pulp	105	106-4
Spanish River Pulp pfd.	..	117
Steel of Canada	99-5	..
Twin City Elec.	75	75-4

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927, 1st June & Dec.	103.185	103.475
1933, 1st May & Nov.	105.955	106.575
1937, 1st June & Dec.	108.975	109.525
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1931, 1st April & Oct.	103.085	103.375
1937, 1st Mar. & Sept.	104.575	104.525
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927, 1st May & Nov.	101.375	101.765
1928, 1st May & Nov.	103.185	103.475
1934, 1st May & Nov.	103.755	104.075
Dominion Loan		
1928, 15th April & Oct., 5%	100.575	101.025
1945, 15th April & Oct., 5%	101.425	101.775
1941, 15th April & Oct., 4½%	96.625	96.975
1954, 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%	..	103.50

Add accrued interest to date:
1927, 1937—78 days, $1.085 per $100.
1927, 1932, 1933, 1934—108 days, $1.537 per $100.
1928, 1943—119 days, $1.630 per $100.
1944—119 days, $1.467 per $100.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Wheat was an erratic affair today, selling at a new low for the present movement. Then it advanced nearly three cents. There was good support around $1.67 for the May. Evening up for the holiday was also a factor. All American markets will be closed tomorrow. Minneapolis reports the demand for flour is the best since last October. Cash wheat basis in the Southwest is firmer, and cash offerings have dried up on the break. Believe the selling has about run its course, and would buy wheat on the breaks.

Corn was influenced largely by the action of wheat, and trade was mostly of a local character. See nothing to change our opinion on corn.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May (new)	168½	169½	165¾	169¼
May	165½	167⅞	165	167⅞
July	149⅞	151½	149	150⅝
Sept.	143	145⅞	141⅝	145½
Corn—				
May	80⅝	81⅝	80⅛	81⅝
July	83⅞	84½	83⅝	84½
Sept.	85	85	85	86
Oats—				
May	41⅛	41⅝	40⅞	41⅛
July	41½	42⅝	41⅝	42⅛
Rye—				
May	97⅛	99¼	96½	97⅝
July	98	100¼	97	99

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
French 7's, 1949	90	90½
French 7½'s, 1941	99	99½
French 8's, 1945	105	105½
Austrian 7's, 1945	103	103½
German 7's, 1949	102½	102¾

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Copper quiet; electrolytic, spot and futures 14 3-8; tin, spot and nearby 64.00, futures 62.75; iron steady, unchanged, lead steady, spot 9.25; zinc steady, East St. Louis, spot and nearby 7.80, futures 7.75 @ 7.80; antimony, spot 22.50.

At London

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Standard copper, spot £60 5s., futures £61 5s.; electrolytic, spot £67, futures £67 10s.; tin, spot £287 12s. 6d, futures £281 2s. 6d; lead, spot £33 10s., futures £33 10s.; zinc, spot £35 15s., futures £35 15s.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Money 4 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills 4 7-16 @ 4 1-2; three months' bills 4 3-8 @ 4 7-16.

At New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Call money firmer; high 5; low 4 1-2; ruling rate 5; closing bid 4 1-2; offered at 4 3-4; last loan 4 1-2; call loans against acceptances 4. Time loans steady. Mixed collateral 60-90 days 4 5-8 @ 4 3-4; 4-6 months 4 5-8 @ 4 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1-4 per cent.

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 11. — Wheat: There was a fair class of buying during the early part of the day, with prices about 1 1-4c above the previous close, but around mid-session considerable selling appeared, and the market sold off sharply into new lows on the movement. However, better buying developed on the scale down part of which looked like export business, while millers also picked up a little wheat. At around $1.55 for May wheat all offerings were quickly absorbed by strong interests, leaving the pit rather bare, and prices again reacted, and during the last hour reached the best points of the day, all of which was not held, but final figures were about one cent higher. The market had several ups and downs during the day, acting nervous and erratic at times. The American markets will be closed tomorrow on account of the holiday in the United States, and this caused some general evening up of commitments.

Outside news was more or less bearish, especially from abroad, which spoke of very limited demand, heavy shipments from Argentina, and offerings increasing. Foreign markets displayed a firmer tone late in the day. Seaboard advices reported moderate export sales in Manitobas and durums.

Total Canadian wheat and flour exports for the past five months are officially placed at 184,748,000 bushels. This averages well over 1,000,000 bushels daily, and is larger than is generally known or expected.

Coarse Grains: These markets continued dull and featureless. Oats and barley held firm, finally closing fractionally higher. Rye displayed early weakness, but recovered in sympathy with the advance in wheat, and closed 1-4 to 5-8c higher.

Flax: Opened about unchanged, but broke 5 1-2c under scattered liquidation and stop-loss orders, closing 3 1-2 to 3 1-4c lower.

Wholesale Row

(Revised February 11, 1926)

Eggs		
Fresh Extras, doz.		.34
Fresh Firsts, doz.		.31
Pullets, Extras, doz.		.29
Butter		
Best, cartons		.45
Prints, No. 1		.45
Dairy solids		.38
Dairy prints		.34
Cheese		
B.C. large, lb.		.26
B.C. twins, lb.		.25½
B.C. triplets, lb.		.26
Alberta solids, lb.		.25
Alberta Stiltons, lb.		.25
Ontario solids, lb., new, .25; matured		.37½
Ontario twins, lb., new, .25½; matured		.31
Ontario triplets, lb., new, .26; matured		.36½
Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make, lb.		.38½
Lard		
Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.		.25
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.		.17
Vegetables		
Beans, wax, per lb.		M.P.
Beans, green, per lb.		M.P.
Beets, per sack		1.75
Cucumber, hothouse, No. 2, per doz.		M.P.
Cabbage, local, per lb.		.02
Carrots, sack		1.25
Cauliflower, doz.	1.00 to	2.90
Celery, local doz.	.75 to	1.55
Lettuce, head, Cal., cfs.		4.00
Onions, Okanagan, sack		1.50
Onions, Yakima Spanish, sack		2.00
Parsnips, per sack		2.55
Potatoes, sweet		.07
Potatoes, Mainland		2.00
Potatoes, dry belt, Gems, per sack		3.00
Potatoes, dry belt, White, per sack		3.00
Tomatoes, hothouse—		
No. 1, per crt.		M.P.
No. 2		M.P.
No. 3		M.P.
Turnips, new, per sack		1.25
Radishes, local, per doz.		M.P.
Green Peppers, lb.		M.P.
Fruits		
Strawberries		M.P.
Grapes, Malaga		M.P.
Red Emperor		M.P.
Cranberries		.55
Pineapples, fresh Cuban, crt.		M.P.
Arizona Grapefruit, Sunkist		3.50
Pomegranates, crt.		2.50
Apples—		
Delicious		2.75
Wagener		2.15
McIntosh Reds, Okanagan 2.55, 2.50		1.50
Jonathans	5.09	1.60
Winter Banana		1.75
Winesaps		1.85
Local Apples, crt.	.75	1.55
Box Pears, fancy	3.50 to	1.75
Bananas, uncrated		.10
Bananas, crated		.11
Lemons, case		5.50
Valencia		M.P.
Cocoanuts, doz.		1.59

MEAT

Beef, No. 1 Steers		.14½
Lamb		.30
Lard	.19½	.25½
Veal	.14	.20
Bacon	.40	.46
Mutton		.25
Hams	.30	.35
Chickens	.26	.37
Fowl	.25	.30
Pork		.21

SUGAR

B.C. Refinery—
White, per hundred 4.45
Yellow, per hundred 5.95

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.40	$46.00
Gr. Barley	2.50	48.00
Corn	2.70	52.00
Cracked Corn	2.80	54.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.80	54.00
Oats	2.50	42.00
Oats, ground	2.50	44.00
Scratch Food	2.80	54.00
Poultry Mash	3.50	60.00
Marvel Egg Mash	2.79	52.08

FLOUR

	Per Sk 49 lbs.
Snowflake	$2.75
Purity	2.75
R. & K. Flour	2.75
Five Roses	2.75
Maple Leaf	2.75
Royal Standard	2.75
Royal Household	2.75
R. & K. Pastry	2.60
Whole Wheat	2.65

Retail Prices

(Revised February 11, 1926)

Eggs		
B.C. Fresh Extras		.45
B.C. Firsts		.40
Vegetables		
Artichokes, Globe, each		.25
Cauliflower	.20 and	.35
Cabbage, local, lb.		.05
Celery, local, head		.10
Cucumbers, fresh, each		.35
Onions, pickling, 4 lbs. for		.25
Green Spring Onions, bunch		.05
Parsley, bunch		.05
Lettuce, Cal., fresh, per hd.		.10
Lettuce, hothouse leaf, head		.05
Local Onions, 10 lbs. for		.25
Peas, green, fresh, per lb.		.25
Potatoes, 7 lbs. for		.25
Potatoes, local, per sack		2.00
Potatoes, Ashcroft, per sack		3.50
Potatoes, Netted Gems, per sack		3.50
Potatoes, sweet, 5 lbs. for		.55
Mushrooms, outside, lb.		.40
Mushrooms, cultivated	1.00	1.25
Radishes, bunch		.10
Spinach, local, lb.		.15
Tomatoes, hothouse, per lb.		.30
Mexican Tomatoes, lb.		.35
Turnips, local, 10 lbs. for		.25
Watercress, per bunch		.05
Fruits		
Apples—		
Local, 4 lbs. for		.25
Jonathan, per box		2.75
McIntosh Red, per box		2.95
Delicious, per box		3.25
Bananas, doz.	.50 and	.60
Egg Plant, per lb.		.12½
Cranberries, per lb.		.25
Figs, Cal., layer, 8-oz. pkts		.10
Per lb.		.25
Grapes, Red Emperor, per lb.		.15
Grapefruit, Ariz.	.10, .12½	.15
Lemons, doz.	.30, .40	.50
Oranges, new navels, doz.	.35 and	.75
Bitter Oranges, doz.		.25
Pineapple, fresh, each		.50
Raisins, Spanish Cluster, pkt.	.50 and	.65

Rhubarb, per lb.		.18
Fish		
Bloaters, 2 lbs. for		.25
Cod fillets, per lb.		.30
Halibut, per lb.		.25
Soles, lb.		.15
Black Cod, fresh, 2 lbs. for		.35
Skate, 5 lbs. for		.25
Cod, 3 lbs. for		.25
Kippers, per lb., .15; 5 lbs. for		.25
Finnan Haddies, per lb.		.20
Oysters—		
Esquimalt, doz.		.60
Olympia, per pint		.60
Herrings, per lb., .10; 3 lbs. for		.25
Smelts, per lb.		.20
Salmon		.30
Salmon, white		.25
Crabs	.15, .20	.25
Oolichans, 2 lbs. for		.25

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb. 11.—Butter and cheese, steady; eggs, easy.

Cheese: Finest westerns, 21c to 21 1-2c.

Butter: No. 1 pasteurized, 44c to 44 1-2 c; No. 1 creamery, 43c to 43 1-2c.

Eggs: Storage extras, 30c; storage firsts, 25c; storage seconds, 19c to 20c; fresh extras, 43c; fresh firsts, 39c.

Potatoes: Quebec, per bag carlots, $3 to $3.10.

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Local Bank Clearings Show Large Increase

Victoria bank clearings for the week ending Thursday were $2,074,537, as compared with $1,685,554 in the corresponding week of 1925.

TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5)—8 p.m., studio programme.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467)—5:30 p.m., Kenneth Morse and his orchestra. 6 p.m., KFI nightly doings. 6:15 p.m., KFI's Seeing California. 6:30 p.m., Vest Pocket Concert. 6:45 p.m., K.F.I. Radiotorial Period. 7 p.m., Caryle Stevenson and his orchestra. 8 p.m., organ recital. Dan L. McFarland at the console of the Aeolian Residence pipe organ. 9 p.m., programme arranged by Wm. MacDougall. 9:30 p.m., programme presented by Mutual Motors, Inc., featuring music and "joke contest." 10 p.m., programme by the Screen Artists' Quartet, with Lee Bolin soloist.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361)—4-5:30 p.m., concert orchestra, Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, Vinton La Ferrera conducting. 5:30-6 p.m., Girls' Half Hour, conducted by Esther Wood Schneider. 6-6:55 p.m., dinner concert. Programme auspices Arrillaga Musical College, Vincent Arrillaga, director. Also, Clara Puccinelli, "The Human Violin," courtesy of the San Francisco Musical Bureau. Charles William Warriner, accompanist. 6:55 p.m., news items and final reading of weather and stock reports, and S.F. produce news. 8:45-9 p.m., International Radio Week, Oakland Studio programme.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (492)—6-7 p.m., dinner concert. 7:30-7:45, weather, police and market reports; news items and sporting results. 8-9 p.m., concert. 9-10:30 p.m., concert from Sherman, Clay & Company Studio. 10:30 to midnight, Hoot Owl Frolic.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (455)—10 to 10:30 a.m., The Home-Makers' Half-Hour, conducted by Mary Gordon. 12:30-1:30 p.m., the Seattle Chamber of Commerce programme from Chamber of Commerce Building. 3-4, programme by Women's Clubs of Seattle and the Pacific Northwest, arranged by Mary Gordon. 4-5:15, The Times, "Afternoons at Home" programme; today's recipe. 5:15-5:30, Around the Towne; resume of KFOA programmes. 6-6:30, Atwater-Kent Boys. 7-8:15, Sherman, Clay & Company Studio programme. 8:15-8:30, Automobile Club news; weather report. 8:30-10, The Times Studio programme. 10-11, Rhodes Department Store, presenting Jackie Souder's Club Lido Serenaders.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (405)—6:30-7:30 p.m., children's programme, presenting Prof. Walter Sylvester Hertzog, radio historian. 7:30, Gladys De Witt will talk on "Romance of the Santa Fe Trail." 8-10, programme sponsored by the Western Auto Supply Company.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428)—6:30-7 p.m., Waldemar Lind and the States Restaurant Orchestra. 7-10, Investment Talk by J. C. Wilson, of Bradford, Kimball & Company. 7:10-7:30, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Orchestra. 8, a special programme for Lincoln's birthday, broadcast from the Palace Hotel, and being presented by the Lincoln Grammar School Alumni, featuring Chas. Bulotti, tenor, and Harry L. Perry, bass. 9-10, Palace Hotel Dance Orchestra. 10-11, Waldemar Lind and the States Restaurant Orchestra.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291)—7:30 p.m., Bedtime Stories, told by Aunt Ruby. 8:30, studio programme arranged by the Routledge-Smith Quartette, assisted by Mrs. Reginald Band, soprano, and Miss Margaret Eccles, accompanist. 10:30, Cabaret Belmont Orchestra, assisted by Miss Bebe Mullar, soprano, direct from the Belmont Hotel, Vancouver, B.C.

CFDC, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—6-7 p.m., dinner hour programme.

CKCD, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—8:30-8:50 p.m., news.

CFYC, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—4:30-5:30 p.m., studio programme. 7-7:30, Evening Information Service.

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Niagara Will Bring Back a Bee Shipment

Canadian Bees Are Taken to New Zealand to Work a Second Crop Instead of Hibernating

Is in Experimental Stage

The Canadian-Australasian liner Niagara, now en route to the Antipodes, will bring back to Canada on her next voyage a shipment of more than 140,000 "stings." In New Zealand about 140,000 bees are buzzing around making a living for themselves instead of hibernating in Canada and eating up the store they laid in when it was Summer here.

This is a fresh development in bee-keeping science which is in the experimental stage. It is aimed to keep the bees working the year round and produce two crops of honey instead of only one.

Mr. James Ballantyne, of Nelson, British Columbia, is the experimenter, who has gone to New Zealand with thirty pounds of working insects, including ten queen bees.

In New Zealand they are being asked to produce another crop, following which, with their natural increase, they will be divided into twenty lots and be brought back to Canada on the Niagara in April to escape the idle Winter season in the Antipodes.

Mr. Ballantyne argues that the expenses of such a trip are more than covered by the saving of keeping the bees on sugar during the Winter months and construction of a bee cellar, while the natural increase of the bees would make up the remaining deficiency should there be any.

Transatlantic Travel Increases

Cunard Line Leads All Other Members of the Transatlantic Conference

Again the Cunard and associated lines lead all others in the number of transatlantic passengers carried for the year, totalling 226,301 for 1925, or more than one-fourth of all the travelers transported by the twenty North Atlantic companies.

This is the third successive year that the Cunard and associated lines have carried more passengers than any other group of lines, leading the nearest competitor this year by 46,861 passengers.

More people crossed the Atlantic during 1925 than during any year since the World War, the total increase to and from United States ports being 126,407.

GULF ISLANDS WINTER SERVICE

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5:00 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
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Tenders Called For Canadian-Indies Service

Fortnightly Passenger and Mail Service Wanted — Freight Rates to Be Under Control of Government

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.—A call for tenders for steamship services between Canada and the British West Indies and other colonies which were parties to the Canada-West Indies trade agreement of 1925, has been issued by the Department of Trade and Commerce. The call is for tenders for mail, passenger and freight steamship or motorship services between Canada, the British West Indies, Bermuda, British Guiana and British Honduras.

Tenders, it is understood, will be received for two services, eastern and western. The former calls for a fortnightly passenger, freight and mail service from Canadian ocean ports all the year round, calling each way at Bermuda, St. Kitts, Nevis, Antigua, Montserrat, Dominica, St. Lucia, Barbados, St. Vincent, Grenada, Tobago, Trinidad and Demerara.

Vessels are required to be from 5,000 to 6,000 tons gross, capable of maintaining an ocean speed of not less than twelve knots and providing accommodation for 100 first class, thirty second class and 100 steerage or deck passengers, cold storage accommodation and 'tween decks must be provided. In addition to this a fortnightly freight service with vessels of 4,300 tons, or thereabouts, deadweight, and a speed of ten knots is required.

Freight rates, it is stipulated, shall be subject to the control of the Government of Canada.

The western service calls for a fortnightly mail, passenger and freight service between St. Lawrence ports in Summer and such Canadian ocean ports in Winter as may be designated by the Canadian Government and the British West Indies with vessels of a similar size to those proposed for the eastern service.

Winston Churchill Asks Economy Enabling Bill

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The efforts of Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, to make his budget square with the actualities will be witnessed in what is to be known as the "economy enabling bill" now being considered by the Baldwin Cabinet. Different branches of the civil service are expecting drastic retrenchments.

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Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, Feb. 11.—Arrived: Ixion, Tacoma; Lassen, Celilo, Maine, Henry S. Grove, Arkansas, San Francisco; Admiral Watson, Southeastern Alaska; Radiant, San Pedro; Glymont, Mukilteo; Malta Maru, Olympia. Sailed: Lassen, Celilo, Tacoma; Hanley, Everett; F. J. Luckenbach, Ruth Alexander, San Francisco; Makiki, Ms. Atago Maru, Kobe; Malta Maru, Grays Harbor; Crosskeys, Port Angeles; West Himrod, Bellingham; Robert H. Merrick, Vancouver.

KETCHIKAN, Feb. 11.—Sailed: Alaska, southbound.

EVERETT, Feb. 11.—Arrived: Alynbank, Anacortes.

TACOMA, Feb. 11.—Arrived: Border King, Vancouver; barkentine Forest Pride, Seattle; West Cactus, Buenos Aires; Celilo, San Pedro; Providencia, Santa Rosalie; John C. Kirkpatrick, San Francisco. Sailed: Border King, Vancouver; Ixion, Hong Kong; Buchanness, Melbourne; Ruth Alexander, San Diego.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 11.—Arrived: Yoshida Maru, No. 1, Yokohama; Juston, Hamburg; West Jena, Manila and way. Sailed: Pennsylvanian, Boston; Hellenic, Adelaide; Cascade, Los Angeles.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—Arrived: Saginaw, Astoria; H. F. Harper, Portland; Admiral Schley, Seattle. Sailed: Mojave, Taurami; Caddopeak, Seattle; Kaimoi, Japan; Admiral Sebree, San Pedro.

Arrived

BALTIMORE, Feb. 11.—M. H. Whittier, San Pedro.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 11.—Katrina Luckenbach, Portland.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 10.—Challenger, Portland.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—Sidney M. Hauptman, Seattle.

DUNEDIN, Feb. 7.—West Henshaw, San Francisco.

ROTTERDAM, Feb. 10.—Noorderdyjk, San Francisco.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Kermit, San Francisco.

Sailed

HONG KONG, Feb. 9.—President Jackson, Tacoma.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—H. C. Folger, Algonquin, Los Angeles.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, Feb. 9, left Swansea for Halifax.

Canadian Highlander, Jan. 25, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Importer, Jan. 29, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Inventor, Jan. 11, arrived Halifax.

Canadian Pioneer, Feb. 7, left Panama Canal for Vancouver.

Canadian Planter, Jan. 29, left Panama Canal for London.

Canadian Ranger, Jan. 31, left Southampton for London.

Canadian Transporter, Feb. 4, arrived Avonmouth.

Canadian Seigneur, Feb. 7, left Panama Canal for Key West.

Canadian Winner, Jan. 28, left Panama Canal for Vancouver.

Canadian Skirmisher, Jan. 30, left Panama Canal for Vancouver.

Canadian Coaster, Feb. 9, left San Francisco for Victoria.

Canadian Farmer, Feb. 3, left Astoria for San Pedro.

Canadian Observer, Feb. 8, left Ocean Falls for Astoria.

Canadian Rover, Feb. 6, arrived Prince Rupert.

Canadian Trooper, Feb. 7, arrived Mobile.

Canadian Prospector, Feb. 8, arrived Antwerp.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

President Madison, from Orient, Feb. 16.

Tokiwa Maru, from Orient, Feb. 17.

Empress of Russia, from Orient, Feb. 22.

Yokohama Maru, from Orient, Feb. 25.

President Jackson, from Orient, Feb. 28.

Aorangi, from Australia, March 5.

Arabia Maru, from Orient, March 8.

Empress of Australia, from Orient, March 10.

Asuka Maru, from Orient, March 11.

President McKinley, from Orient, March 12.

To Sail

President Grant, for Orient, Feb. 15.

Shidzuoka Maru, for Orient, Feb. 17.

Empress of Canada, for Orient, Feb. 20.

Alabama Maru, for Orient, Feb. 23.

President Madison, for Orient, Feb. 27.

Empress of Russia, for Orient, March 6.

Aorangi, for Australia, March 10.

Yokohama Maru, for Orient, March 11.

President Jackson, for Orient, March 11.

Arabia Maru, for Orient, March 25.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
FEBRUARY, 1926
China and Japan

President Jefferson—Due at Yokohama Feb. 15; Shanghai, Feb. 20; Hong Kong, Feb. 24.

Protesilaus—Due at Yokohama Feb. 16.

Empress of Asia—Due at Yokohama Feb. 18; Shanghai, Feb. 22; Hong Kong, Feb. 25.

President Grant—Mails close Feb. 15, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama Feb. 27; Shanghai, March 4; Hong Kong, March 8.

Empress of Canada—Mails close Feb. 20, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 4; Shanghai, March 8; Hong Kong, March 11.

President Madison — Mails close Feb. 27, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 11; Shanghai, March 16; Hong Kong, March 20.

Australia and New Zealand

Niagara—Due at Auckland March 1; Sydney, March 6.

Sonoma—Mails close Feb. 20, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney March 16.

Makura—Mails close Feb. 21, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington March 15; Sydney, March 20.

Many Prominent People to Sail On Board Grant

Mr. E. C. Earle, of Manila Harbor Board, Among Passengers—Spanish Consul Going to Philippines

Already several prominent passengers have booked passage on the Admiral Oriental liner President Grant, which sails from this port for the Orient on Monday. Mr. E. C. Earle, vice-chairman of the Manila Harbor Board, bound for the Philippine Islands, will be among the saloon passengers.

Others who have booked on the Grant are: Messrs. P. H. Reimer, en route to the Orient to take charge of the International Harvester Company's general agency at Shanghai; L. W. Strong, heavy machinery dealer of Manila; Senor Emilio de Motta, Spanish consul general for the Philippines; Mr. W. T. Alexander, representing the Palmolive Company; Mrs. A. J. Brent, wife of an official of the latter company at Manila; Mr. C. C. Dittner, and engineer expert of the United States navy; Professor Leandro H. Fernandez, of the Bureau of Education, and Mr. H. Iwasaki, representing the Mitsubishi Company, en route to Japan.

Purser Myron Holzer will take out with him a handsome silver service to be presented to Mr. Earl F. Townsend, general agent in the Orient for the Admiral Oriental Line, who was recently married at Shanghai. This service is the gift of Mr. Townsend's associates in the Seattle offices of the Admiral Oriental Line.

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FEBRUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1926.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:41	5:10	15	7:21	5:31
2	7:40	5:11	16	7:19	5:33
3	7:41	5:13	17	7:17	5:35
4	7:39	5:15	18	7:16	5:36
5	7:37	5:17	19	7:14	5:38
6	7:36	5:18	20	7:12	5:41
7	7:34	5:20	21	7:11	5:42
8	7:33	5:22	22	7:09	5:44
9	7:31	5:24	23	7:07	5:46
10	7:30	5:26	24	7:05	5:47
11	7:28	5:27	25	7:03	5:49
12	7:26	5:29	26	7:01	5:51
13	7:24	5:31	27	6:59	5:53
14	7:22	5:33	28	6:57	5:55

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
FEBRUARY

Date	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1 ..	6:51	8.9	12:08	7.9	19:21	7.6	23:34	8.9
2 ..	7:19	9.2	12:56	6.7	16:16	7.1	.....	...
3 ..	0:02	8.6	7:51	9.1	13:37	9.1	17:30	8.6
4 ..	0:30	9.0	7:56	6.9	14:37	9.9	20:04	8.2
5 ..	0:19	9.0	8:14	9.7	15:09	4.9	22:19	8.2
6 ..	.....	...	8:31	8.9	19:49	3.8	23:41	8.1
7 ..	.....	...	.....	...	8:34	9.3	17:03	3.0
8 ..	.....	...	.....	...	8:31	9.9	18:14	2.3
9 ..	.....	...	.....	...	10:27	9.8	19:03	1.6
10 ..	.....	...	.....	...	11:31	9.8	19:47	1.3
11 ..	5:12	9.2	7:24	9.1	12:37	9.8	20:30	1.0
12 ..	5:14	8.2	8:28	7.9	13:31	9.8	21:13	1.2
13 ..	4:31	8.4	9:26	7.1	14:16	9.7	21:53	1.7
14 ..	5:19	8.4	10:27	6.9	15:15	9.7	22:30	2.5
15 ..	5:46	8.9	11:36	6.9	16:22	7.8	23:30	3.5
16 ..	6:18	8.6	12:31	6.3	17:49	7.3	.....	...
17 ..	0:04	4.9	9:33	8.7	16:09	4.8	19:21	9.8
18 ..	0:49	5.6	7:34	8.8	14:23	4.3	22:24	9.6
19 ..	1:19	5.6	9:03	8.8	19:29	3.9	.....	...
20 ..	.....	...	.....	...	8:39	8.9	19:38	2.4
21 ..	.....	...	.....	...	9:16	8.4	17:34	2.1
22 ..	.....	...	.....	...	8:16	9.7	18:24	2.9
23 ..	4:39	2.7	9:32	8.9	10:42	8.7	18:03	2.7
24 ..	4:49	3.7	8:39	8.6	11:41	8.9	19:49	2.6
25 ..	5:01	3.9	9:42	7.9	12:33	8.4	20:26	2.4
26 ..	5:29	5.1	9:01	7.5	13:18	9.9	20:34	8.7
27 ..	5:18	9.1	9:32	7.2	13:56	9.9	21:27	9.2
28 ..	4:48	3.9	10:06	8.9	14:36	7.8	21:03	3.2

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Snowslides Delay Trains On Kettle Valley Line

NELSON, B.C., Feb. 11.—Eight snowslides on the west slope on Farron Hill, the largest 200 feet long and twenty-five feet deep, and others on the Kettle Valley line, nearer the coast, for a while disorganized passenger service on the line. The eastbound train was held at Midway for many hours until the line was opened, arriving here at 7 o'clock tonight, twenty hours late. The westbound was held at Grand Forks for many hours. A freight engine was derailed by a rock slide, but no one was injured.

Dead in Shanghai

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The death of Mrs. Charles Brandon Booth, daughter-in-law of General and Mrs. Ballinger Booth, heads of the Volunteers of America, and her youngest son, Carroll, was reported in dispatches from Shanghai, received by relatives today. Both died of scarlet fever, from which a daughter, Audrey, was recovering.

Seven Per Cent Dividend to Be Paid by O.S.K.

Heavy Cargo Offerings on Transpacific Route Increase Profits by $105,000, Says President

A seven per cent dividend has been declared by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, it was learned here yesterday. This announcement was made following a general meeting of shareholders held recently. Mr. Keijiro Hori, the president, said that political and financial circles of Europe are turning for the better, and that the United States stands most conspicuously in the financial revival. Affected by this situation, Mr. Hori continued, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha yielded an increased profit of $105,000 over the preceding term, largely through satisfactory freight business on the oversea services, especially the transpacific freight service.

He said that the company placed many cargo boats on the North American service during the period to meet the increasing cargo demands, by which the firm profited fairly. Things were dull on the near sea and China services, affected by the continued war situation and the anti-foreign boycott in China. The average ship's age of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, Mr. Hori said, is eleven years and five months, and the value is $64.40 per ton.

The terms of the directors, Mr. J. Yamaoka, Mr. R. Fukao, Mr. Y. Murata, Mr. H. Ota and Mr. Y. Ikeo expired, and all were re-elected. Mr. K. Nakata resigned the directorship and was succeeded by Mr. K. Yukawa, of the Sumitomo interest.

Cunard Line to Inaugurate New Channel Service

Liners Will Call at Le Havre Instead of Cherbourg—Big Vessels to Call at Latter Port

The Cunard Steamship Company is in receipt of telegraphic advice to the effect that beginning with the Lancastria, May 1, eastbound, and May 22, westbound, cabin channel service steamers, except the Andania, will call at Le Havre instead of Cherbourg. Leaving New York at 12:10 a.m. Saturday, embarkation will commence at 8 o'clock Friday evening up to sailing of the Carmania September 4, the time of sailing being 10 a.m., thus eliminating landing by tender.

This now gives the Cunard Steamship Company two services to French ports, as the monster steamers of this company call at Cherbourg en route to Southampton, where all passengers for the continent disembark, which with the Canadian service steamers also calling at Cherbourg, gives a splendid continental service, and with the excellent facilities of both the ports of Cherbourg and Le Havre continental passengers will appreciate the efforts that are being put forth by this old-established line to cater to their comfort and convenience.

He Is Keeper of the King's Privy Purse



SIR E. F. G. PONSONBY

As keeper of the King's privy purse, is the man who tells His Majesty how much he can spend. Sir Edward was recently honored again with the Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath.

Half of Idaho Wool Sold

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 11.—About half of the million pounds of 1925 Idaho wool offered at sealed bid sale here today was disposed of. Prices ranged from 34 to 39 cents.

Relics of a people who lived in the Valley of the Nile about 14,000 years ago are on view at University College, London.

Spanish Dressing Adds Zest to Meats, Fish and Croquettes
Finely mince and cook in enough water to cover, a slice of carrot and a tablespoonful of parsley, a bit of bay leaf and onion. Combine this with a plain brown sauce and stir in a tablespoonful of
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Musical director of radio station CNRO, and conductor of the Ottawa Temple Choir, who will be in charge of the musical arrangements for the capital's centenary celebrations.

China Ship to Load Wheat for Soldiers

First Chinese Craft to Reach B.C. in Some Years Due at End of Month

VANCOUVER, Feb. 11.—The first Chinese vessel to arrive in Vancouver since the year after the war will reach port late this month for Thomas Harling & Sons, Ltd., to load a full cargo of wheat for the Orient.

This vessel is owned by a Chinese general, who is understood to be in command of an army in the North China area, and the grain is believed to be for the victualling of his troops.

The ship is the steamship Huanchaco, British registry, formerly of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company, but understood now to be owned by General Sutton, as the Chinese officer calls himself. Six thousand tons of wheat are to be loaded on the vessel.

Life Underwriters' Head Is Coming

Dominion President Will Pay Visit to Victoria Organization on Monday

Mr. A. L. Petty, of Winnipeg, the new president of the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada, will speak to the local branch of the Life Underwriters' Association on Monday at a luncheon to be held at Spencer's dining-room.

At a banquet held in connection with the annual meeting in Toronto, Mr. Petty said that it should be the ambition of their administration in no way unjustly to judge, condemn, criticize or find fault with any company, person, place or thing. He sought harmony, and wanted to see the association progress. Very few had any conception of what that business would be ten years hence. It would be the largest factor in commerce to stabilize the business of the country so that they would not have any cycles of depression and unemployment. Referring to the people who wanted to start booms and inflations, Mr. Petty said he believed the day would come when life insurance would be able to say to them, "No further."

Mr. Petty has been associated with the Great-West Life Assurance Company since entering the insurance business in 1910 and has been one of their largest and most consistent producers. He is a field man, which is something unique in the history of the association.

Libel Hearing Likely Soon

VANCOUVER, Feb. 11.—Following examination yesterday by J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., of General A. D. McRae for discovery in the libel action at the suit of Hon. William Sloan, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Mines, it is understood the case will come down for trial at an early date. Mr. Sloan issued a writ against General McRae during the Provincial elections of 1924, claiming $50,000 damages for a publication in "The Searchlight," at that time organ for the Provincial party.

Fossil bones show that extinct animals had bones and joint inflammations exactly like those from which men suffer today.

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Vancouver Island News

Great Interest Is Displayed by Shareholders

Keen Consideration Given to Year's Business of Comox Creamery Association at Annual Meeting

Four Directors Chosen

COURTENAY, Feb. 11.—By ten-thirty o'clock yesterday morning there were sufficient patrons assembled in the Agricultural Hall for the annual meeting of the Comox Creamery Association. And the seating capacity soon filled. President William Duncan was in the chair.

The directors' report was read by the secretary, Mr. R. F. Hurford. This report included the recommendation of the payment of a ten per cent bonus to contracting patrons in the form of paid up shares, and a seven per cent dividend on paid up shares.

A long discussion then followed, which, owing to the introduction of side issues, lasted all morning. Before lunch, which was served in the adjoining hall by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Agricultural Association, it was decided to deal with the financial statement directly after lunch.

Lively Discussion

A resumption was made at two o'clock, when the seats were filled. The meeting then appeared to be more or less divided into what might be termed co-operators and non-co-operators—those who had signed the marketing contract and those who had not. Mr. W. A. Urquhart suggested that no bonus or dividend be paid until after the bank loan had been paid, so that the bonus could then be in the form of cash instead of in paid up shares as recommended by the directors.

Later he withdrew this suggestion as applied to the dividend, realizing that the payment of it was necessary to investors. The contract in force with a majority of the producing patrons was then attacked.

The auditor's report was then made by Mr. Frank Porter, of Vancouver. After a few questions had been satisfactorily answered, the report was adopted on motion of Mr. Alec Urquhart, seconded by Mr. J. Clifford.

Discussion of Report

The directors' report was received and adopted only after another long discussion, which went into many details, including cost of light and power. The manager stated that the present cost was altogether too high, and the rate paid by the association of three and a half cents per unit was much more than, for instance, the rate in Vancouver, which went as low as one-half cent for power. It might be advisable to install a Diesel engine capable of taking care of creamery and city requirements, although it was quite likely that a lower rate could be obtained from the present source of supply as soon as the power requirements reached seventy-five horsepower. Mr. Theed Pearse, in answer to a question, explained that no profit was made by the city on light and power supplied to the creamery.

Difficulties in Change

It was suggested at this point that the amount set aside for bonus distribution ($4,145) be retained in the association instead of being disbursed in the form of paid up shares to contracting members.

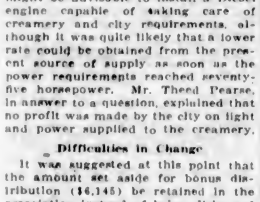
The auditor at once explained that, although he would like to see the finances consolidated, such a step as that proposed would mean a revision of estimates for the taxes of the Dominion and Provincial Governments. This would mean the payment of an additional $1,000 in the form of taxes. Other questions brought out the information that the shareholders' interest in the business had increased by $2,000 since the introduction of the present bonus system.

The directors' report was finally adopted on the motion of Mr. John Crockett, by a two to one majority.

Election of Officers

There were eight nominations to fill the places of four retiring directors. The poll resulted as follows: Messrs. Wm. Duncan, 70 votes; W. A. Urquhart, 64; W. A. B. Paul, 61, and Arthur Smith, 52. They will serve for a term of three years. With the exception of Mr. W. A. Urquhart, the new directors are those whose term expired today. They were therefore re-elected. The unsuccessful candidates were Messrs. H. Cox, H. Radford, W. Waln and A. Craik. Mr. Frank Porter, Vancouver, and Mr. M. B. Tribe, Courtenay, were nominated for the position of auditor. A ballot resulted in the election of Mr. Tribe. It was decided to call for tenders for next year's audit. Before the close of the meeting Mr. H. P. Allberry announced that a mass meeting was to be called in the near future, under the auspices of the Comox Agricultural and Industrial Association, for the purpose of considering mass production.

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Council Members Visit District

"Maud" Is Visited at Chemainus Wharf During Transfer to Hudson's Bay Co.

CHEMAINUS, Feb. 11.—The North Cowichan Municipal Council members made Chemainus a visit on Wednesday on a tour of inspection. They spent some time looking over the streets with a view to extending the sidewalks, which are very badly needed. They also visited the public school in company with the school trustees.

The schooner Maud, of exploration fame, was in Chemainus for a short time on Sunday, leaving on Monday morning for Vancouver, where she will be refitted to replace the Hudson's Bay ship Lady Kindersley, which was lost last year.

Miss Elsie Jacobson entertained at an enjoyable tea recently in honor of Miss Marjorie Gilroy, who is leaving shortly for San Francisco. Mah jong was played during the afternoon, a dainty tea being served later. Those present were Misses M. Gilroy, Grace Murray, Ouida Beecham, M. Samaan.

Chemainus Review No. 19, W.B.A., held an enjoyable whist party recently, nine tables being in play. Prize winners were: First, Mrs. Jacobson and Mr. K. MacAskill; consolation, Miss Elsie Jacobson and Mr. Fred Gard. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games. It has been decided to hold fortnightly card parties for the present.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Stewart will be interested in the announcement of the birth of a daughter in Victoria on Sunday last.

Mrs. Bridgman and Mrs. John Grant, of Victoria, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Donald.

Mr. A. E. Collyer is in Victoria for a few days.

Rev. B. E. Spurling went to Victoria to attend the annual Diocesan Synod held this week.

Miss Dorothy Reid, of Ladysmith, was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Allester during the week.

Mr. James Pyle, of Kuper Island, was in Duncan for a few days.

Mrs. Grosscup is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Koch.

Citizens' Band Holds Dance

Chemainus Stages Attractive Function—Some of Guests in Attendance

CHEMAINUS, Feb. 11.—One of the most successful gatherings of the season was the first annual ball given by the members of the Chemainus Citizens' Band on Tuesday evening in the Recreation Hall here, nearly 300 people being present. The hall was tastefully decorated with green, white and yellow streamers and evergreens, while in the supper room the tables were decorated with bowls of pussy-willows. The music was supplied by Howard Brothers' five-piece orchestra, supplemented by volunteers who kindly gave their services. An excellent supper was served about midnight, after which dancing continued until 2:30 o'clock.

The members of the band are to be greatly congratulated on the success of their first ball, the splendid arrangements of every detail showing the amount of trouble and forethought which they had taken to make the evening so enjoyable. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Cathcart; Mr. and Mrs. Adam, Mr. and Mrs. Work, Mr. and Mrs. Allester, Mr. and Mrs. Jarratt, Mr. and Mrs. Dobinson, Mr. and Mrs. Beecham, Mr. and Mrs. Lang, Mr. and Mrs. Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Humbird, Mr. and Mrs. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Devitt, Mr. and Mrs. Aiken, Mr. and Mrs. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. M. Halhed, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Dr. and Mrs. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. G. Read, Mrs. Rivett-Carnac, Mrs. Caswell, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gardiner, Mr. and Mrs. G. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Murry Ure, Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Long, Mr. and Mrs. N. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Stubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Drury, Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Skillen, Mr. and Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Bonde, Mrs. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Wickers, Mrs. Laidlaw, Mr. and Mrs. Robarge, Mesdames Trenholme, Toynbee, Jacobson, Massey, Nuby, Murray, Misses Ouida Beecham, E. Bonsall, D. Cathcart, H. Cathcart, Mary and Cecilia Wyllie.

Confer on Co-operative Measures



DR. J. A. AMYOT

Deputy Minister of Health of Canada, who, with Dr. J. H. Page, chief of the quarantine service, conferred with United States health officials.



DR. HUGH S. CUMMING

Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service, who conferred with Canadian medical officials on further co-operative measures.

North Saanich Population Grows

Annual Report of Sidney Board of Trade Shows Great Progress Made

SIDNEY, Feb. 11.—The Sidney Board of Trade has had a successful year, the reports presented at the annual meeting covering a wide number of subjects brought to a successful issue.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Mr. J. E. McNeil; vice-president, Mr. A. Warrender; secretary, Mr. W. H. Dawes; treasurer, Mr. J. J. White; auditor, Mr. C. Wemyss, council, Messrs. R. N. MacAulay, H. J. McIntyre, S. K. Halseth, G. E. Goddard, A. W. Hollands, H. A. McKillican and C. C. Cochran.

Forthcoming Dinner

In reporting for the forthcoming dinner of the board the committee in charge informed the board that the programme was already complete. Acceptances for the event had been received from Mayor J. C. Pendray, Victoria, Reeve Robert Macneicol, Saanich; Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers, president Victoria Chamber of Commerce; Mr. F. S. Cunliffe, president Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island, and Mr. J. P. Forde, resident engineer of Dominion Public Works.

Ten new members were reported to have joined the board, Messrs. H. J. McIntyre, W. Harrison, A. W. Hollands, A. Rankin, Colonel Peck, V.C., M.P.P., Y. L. Goddard, S. K. Halseth, J. Greenwood, T. T. Goward and Rev. M. Lees. The resignation of Rev. T. G. Griffiths, owing to his leaving Sidney, was much regretted, as he had been an active and useful member during four years' residence.

Population Grows

A water committee had been formed following the acquisition of the Esquimalt waterworks by the city of Victoria, the retiring president said. The committee would watch the interests of North Saanich in connection with the water question.

The population of the district was placed at 3,000 by the annual report. There were 250 local telephone subscribers. During the year decided progress had been made by the district of North Saanich.

Prospecting in Australia

MELBOURNE, Feb. 11. — Both Houses of Parliament yesterday passed a bill providing that the sum of £40,000 be devoted to the encouragement of prospecting for precious metals in Australia.

Counsel Clash Over Victoria Nash Contract

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Both the Growers' Sales Agency, Ltd., and the Nash companies claimed a majority of the houses through which the tomatoes would be distributed.

Witness stated that the Mutual companies agreed to handle the tomatoes on a brokerage of five per cent.

Mr. Davis interrupted to object that Mr. McRuer was avoiding putting the question to witness whether he could identify the signatures to the document.

"Did you see the others sign their names on that paper?" inquired His Lordship.

"My Lord, I am not prepared to swear I did," replied Pollock.

The paper was marked "B" for identification.

Defence Objects

"Now my learned friend is trying to prove what the agreement is by this proposition, which I submit is not admissible," objected Mr. Davis, when the crown counsel questioned witness about the arrangement between Mutual Vancouver, Ltd., and the association.

Mr. McRuer pointed out that the crown's contention was that deductions were made by Mutual Vancouver, Ltd., at Victoria, and remitted to Prairie houses. He said that he wanted to know whether the five per cent commission should include the deductions.

At the request of the court, witness said that the names signed to the agreement were those of George W. Riddle, president of the association; Robert Peters, secretary; Walter Riddle, treasurer; N. H. Pollock, and W. H. Brown, a Victoria florist.

Crown Tactics Criticized

Another document, dated March 10, 1923, purporting to be an agreement between Mutual Vancouver, Ltd., and the association, was produced to witness by Mr. McRuer and marked "C" for identification.

"That is an agreement?" asked Mr. McRuer of the witness.

"That is the agreement," answered Pollock.

"I object to that," interrupted Mr. Davis. "If my learned friend wants to prove those signatures, why can't he come out and prove it without trying to slip in something?"

"I am not trying to slip in anything," retorted the crown prosecutor.

"You have tried it three or four times," said Mr. Davis. "You know the question involves necessarily this witness stating that is the agreement signed by these people when he does not know anything about it."

His Lordship pointed out that was the agreement under which witness sold his tomatoes.

Better Prices Promised

Pollock testified that he marketed tomatoes through the Mutual between the dates of the agreements and afterwards.

Resuming, witness explained that Colquhoun, at the Victoria meeting, stated that if the cars were rolled to him on consignment, the growers would obtain better prices than if they sold outright to Mutual, which would then have to protect itself.

Witness is to be recalled to identify account sales, when he will be cross-examined by defence counsel.

Fred Wood, Victoria, florist and market gardener, member of the Victoria Hothouse Association, identified the signatures of Walter Riddle, S. E. Bell, Robert Peters, F. Wood, N. B. Pollock and N. H. Brown, to the agreement dated March 10, 1923, between Mutual Vancouver, Ltd., and the association.

Cross-examined by Mr. Davis, witness stated that he could not identify the agreement of November 14, 1923.

Witness Grilled

W. H. Hardy, Keremeos tomato grower, was subjected to a gruelling cross-examination by A. McLeod Sinclair, K.C.

Witness stated that he complained to Snow, manager of Mutual Vancouver, Ltd., of a deduction for shrinkage in transit; and he said that he could get no satisfaction.

"I couldn't prove anything. I was helpless," said Hardy, when pressed for a reason why he did not pursue the matter. He added that he had to rely on the Mutual.

Witness admitted that he did not demand an explanation for a return by the company to a shipment of 1,200 lugs of tomatoes on which the commission charged was $10, whereas on 1,200 lugs the company was entitled to $120 commission. He explained that he had instituted a civil action against Mutual Vancouver, Ltd., for an accounting. He denied that he had ratified a settlement by the company with the railway company of $300 for damage to tomatoes during shipment to Calgary. He expressed the opinion that in a shipment in December, 1923, there were ninety-six lugs more than shown on the invoice, which showed 1,200.

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—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Fur Store Robbed Of Money and Coats

Cracksmen Enter Mr. Fred Foster's During Wednesday Night and Take Cash

What is supposed to have been the work of experienced cracksmen resulted in the loss of $300 in cash and four fur coats from Foster's Furrier Store, 1216 Government Street, some time between Wednesday evening and yesterday morning, when the store was opened for business about 8:30. The police are working on the case, and there is said to be good reason for believing the culprits will be apprehended.

Mrs. Foster entered the store on Wednesday afternoon between 4 and 5 o'clock. At that time everything was in order. Evidently the robbers were in search of cash rather than furs. The four coats were not very valuable, while $1,500 worth of furs were left untouched. The cash was in a small cash box, which had been forced and about $300 taken.

The vault of the store which, Mrs. Foster says, was all in order when she was in the store on Wednesday afternoon, was in disorder in the morning. It was here the firm kept fur goods that were left for safe keeping. The combination of the vault had been forced in making the entrance.

These coats will be hard to dispose of, and it is believed probable they will be recovered. The entrance to the place was evidently gained by means of a window unfastened at the back of the store.

European Coal Invades U. S.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—German and Welsh coal is in use and contracts have been made to import 250,000 tons to relieve the shortage caused by the anthracite strike, it was learned today. Retail prices of the German coal are quoted at from $27 to $30 a ton.

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